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# RECORD



Our dear Paul left us the  
25 of May 5 minutes of 12 O'clock -  
Wednesday night - from Asheville N.C. 1910 -  
"1910" Here is acct of letters of sympathy  
received and answered.

1st Mrs George Harwin.

2- A Combined Card from Mrs Shonts & daughter  
Mrs Geo Messifield accompanying a rare offering  
of American bellinis for Pauls Casket.

3rd Rev H. Wallace Cliff -

4 Miss Nikol S - 18 Mrs Lizzie M. Reed.

5 Mrs Shuttle S

19 Mrs Nellie D. Anderson.

6 Aunt Mary E.

20 Mrs Flora Eaton.

7 Aunt Jennie.

21 Mrs Jessie Mahum.

8 Mrs J. A. Rankin.

22 Mrs Elizabeth Daniel.

9 Rev J. Alvi Orr.

23 Rev W. R. Graham.

10 Mr & Mrs E. A. Johnson.

24 Mrs Lillian Burt.

11 Mrs M. P. Hunt.

25 Mrs Kenton Moonen.

26 Mrs Neil Ferguson.

12 Rev J. H. Kendal.

27 Mrs Napoleon Hinorot.

13 Mr Jas Bashin.

28 Mr Roy McFarland.

14 Rev D. C. Douglass.

15 David Hurvick.

16 Prof J. H. McMillan.

17 W. R. McMillan.

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14<sup>th</sup> of last

Clayton

1" January 1900

"On New Year's Day, so wise  
men say, true hearts are warm - though  
winds blow cold. And tender winter  
Plays of gray Love's Summer Sunshine  
Shed its gold; So New Year's day for joy  
and merriment very bright and  
happy be."

We have been having it very  
cold for a few days - snow on the  
ground since Xmas. It has moderated  
quite a good deal - but still cold.  
Mr. Mc and Charlie Baskin at town  
they brought Aunt Mary Woodcock out  
to spend the day. Our good nurse  
Miss Brown who has been here since  
last August taking care of Mr. Mc  
and Paul is running things here in  
the girl's absence, Anna Woodcock =  
Albert Harris who came to us the  
17" of last Nov absent to day.  
Clayton and Q. N. Potter who had



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At Clayton at the Old Home January 1910  
 been here for several months)  
 handling out feed to the "Kentucky  
 cattle" & sheep &c in Albert's absence—  
 Mrs. Edith absent—She left for Greeley  
 Wednesday before Xmas—to see her  
 parents—Patter took Aunt Mary home  
 this evening. She stopped off at the  
 teachers meeting at the church—

2nd January Sabbath.

This morning our snow had all  
 disappeared—Charlie and Patter and I  
 at church. In the Effectual doors  
 that Paul spoke of being opened up to  
 him at Ephesus. He applied it  
 to the New Year. He said the year  
 1910 had been thrown open to us.

The door of time of opportunity of  
 service &c. And for every hour we  
 would be accountable to God.

Clayton had to feed the stock in  
 Albert's absence. Miss Brown

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taking care of Ben and Mr. W. and  
had dinner awaiting us Anna W. met  
us in C. and came home with us.

Charlie took dinner at Arthur's to day.  
This evening Clayton and Patter and  
Charlie and Miss Brown at our church.  
Albert returned at noon.

The word has come that Mary Dallas  
Ramsey is dead - She died at her home  
in Los Angeles the 30 of December last Thursday.

3rd January Wed. Moderated  
considerable in Clayton and Charlie Baskin  
at C. this morning home at noon  
Miss Brown busy with her patients and  
superintending the work in Edith's absence  
Anna busy this afternoon Mr. W. and  
Miss Brown at C. When they returned  
I went off to Mr. Bungardner's - their  
daughter Mrs Ingal died this morning  
I met Rev Taylor and a few of their  
friends there. Charlie over at Clayton



St Clayton at the old Home January 1916  
to see some of his friends this afternoon  
and evenings. It is getting colder.

4<sup>th</sup> January Tuesday. Quite  
a good deal colder - Charlie Bastin left  
us this morning to go back to his school  
at Sunderland. Patter took him to the  
train. Clayton and Albert feeding.  
This afternoon Miss W and Clayton at  
C. Clayton at a meeting of the  
Protective Association & some of the  
business houses. We spent the  
afternoon at the Sisters - I got out  
my scraps for Scrap Book. This  
has been quite a cold day & a disagreeable  
evening. The wind blowing.

5<sup>th</sup> January. Wednesday. We  
were delighted this morning to find  
it several degrees warmer. At nine  
O'clock Clayton and I went to Mrs  
Gowell Congals funeral. Mr Baumgardner  
daughter, Rev Hill Taylor conducted

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the exercises. They went to the twelve  
O'clock train at Charleston - and went  
across to their old home at Washington C. H.  
to their family last - to lay their daughter  
remains away. Rev Taylor went with  
the family. He conducted the exercises  
this morning. The general prayer will  
be conducted by Rev Taylor at the  
Church there among their friends at Wash-  
ington C. H. Uncle Elias & Ina were there  
and stopped with us for dinner. Father  
went to Columbus this morning.  
Albert feeding. Miss Brown taking  
care of Paul - He has been in bed most  
of the day. Mr. Mc. up and down all  
day. Anna at her work.

6<sup>th</sup> January Thursday. The  
ground covered with snow and has been  
snowing a little all day. Sleight out  
this P.M. It has been getting colder  
this evening. Mr. Mc. has been around  
as usual. Paul in bed most of the  
time Clayton and Albert feeding. Miss



At Clayton's at the old home. January 1960  
Brown at town this morning.  
Patter still absent.

7<sup>th</sup> January Friday Still  
cold - Albert and Clayton among the  
stock - Will Nye and Vanklike made us  
a little visit - they were to dinner. Mr.  
Harren Arthur called to see Paul. Paul in  
bed as usual Mr. W. around. Miss Brown  
busy. Anna at the work. Patter returned  
this evening.

8<sup>th</sup> January Saturday. Another  
cold day - Mr. Grant of Jelma called.  
Clayton and Albert and Patter on  
the program - This afternoon Mr. Mac  
went with Clayton to Cedarville. Ralph  
here and took Miss Brown to town in  
the sleigh. Paul in bed as usual  
Anna busy. Albert at town this  
evening.

9<sup>th</sup> January Sabbath. Moderated  
a little but cold. Patter and Clayton  
and I at church. Rev Taylor's Theme  
Our Mission in India - Miss Brown



and Anna here with Paul and Clayton -  
 Dinner awaiting us when we came -  
 Paul has been in bed as usual - Mr. Mc-  
 Coy and Doran all day. Albert here  
 looking after things - Letter from Greeley -  
 Edith has been on the sick list for  
 several days and finally landed in the  
 hospital - A letter came from her Mother this  
 evening.

10<sup>th</sup> January Monday Another cold day  
 Snow on the ground the sleighs still running  
 Clayton and Albert feeding Miss Brown  
 looking after her patients and Superintending  
 in the other dept. This afternoon Stuckey  
 and man from Columbus working on  
 the gasoline engine - Later Mr. Mc- and  
 Clayton in L - Paul in bed most of the  
 day. Potter went to Dayton this morning,  
 but returned this evening.

11<sup>th</sup> January Tuesday Another  
 cold day Sleighing good - Uncle Silas  
 here on a hog trade - he was here to dinner  
 Late this PM - Mr. Mc- and Clayton at



St Clayton at the old home. January 11<sup>th</sup> -  
 Cedarville. Mrs. Brown has been  
 and looking after Paul he has been  
 in bed most of the day. Anna at  
 a party last night - but came back  
 and at her work to day. Letter from  
 Mrs R - Edith is still in the hospital.

12<sup>th</sup> January Wed. Moderated  
 quite a good deal - Snow going off -  
 One of North's men here this a.m. - Putting  
 in a new grate in the furnace which  
 just ready to adjust it found it was  
 two inches short. He was here to dinner  
 this afternoon. Potter and Elbert at  
 Uncle Hugh's for straw. Clayton at town  
 I went along and stopped off at the  
 prayer meeting. Subject "From Strength  
 Still forward unto Strength". I walked  
 down home with Sister Mary K - and  
 had a little call with her and our  
 Aunt Mary - Clayton called and we  
 were at home before dark -

13<sup>th</sup> January  
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 at Uncle's  
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 Mrs Brown  
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 cold day. Saw  
 Mr at town  
 Clayton and  
 the street  
 at Cedarville  
 funeral  
 after her  
 in Edith's



13<sup>th</sup> January. Thursday. Moderately - dark  
and Cloudy. The snow going off. Clayton  
at Uncle Hughes all day. Albert busy.  
Patter at town this afternoon - and  
home in good time. Anna busy.  
Miss Brown taking care of her patients  
and Superintending generally in  
Edith's absence. Paul has been in bed  
most of the day. Mr. Mc. in bed and  
out. I have been busy. I began reading  
"A Certain Rich Man".

14<sup>th</sup> January Friday. Another  
Cold day - Snowing. Miss Brown and Mr.  
Mc. at town this AM - home at noon -  
Clayton and Albert and Patter busy with  
the stock - A letter from Fred he was  
at Centerville attending Mrs. Gantz  
funeral. Miss Brown busy looking  
after her patients and Superintending  
in Edith's absence - Paul had



At Clayton's at the old Home - January 1910.  
 been in bed of usual Anna Gray.

15<sup>th</sup> January Sat - Moderated  
 Some Snow on the ground - some occasional  
 sleigh passings Clayton and Albert  
 and Patten Gray. Miss Brown getting  
 the house in order and attending to  
 her patients - Paul in bed most of the  
 day Anna at her work. This after-  
 noon Mr. & Mrs. went with Clayton to  
 town and stopped at the Sister's.  
 Home again in good time.

We do not forget this evening  
 that this is the Anniversary of our  
 marriage day - 1887 - 1908 -

How many years did I say? Well  
 everything has changed so much  
 since then. So changed you can  
 hardly think it is the same old  
 world - Those who were the young  
 folks then are the old gray heads of

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winter day  
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 The summer  
 for a few days  
 by the fire  
 Mr. & Mrs. in  
 Anna in  
 Gray, Albert  
 This evening  
 our chance  
 After light -  
 Should be



to day. The years have passed so  
Swiftly that we were not aware how  
quickly they were going - and it is only  
by looking back that we can tell their  
number - and yet we are here and are  
"immortal until our work is done", that  
is a beautiful thought, but I want to know  
that it is true.

16<sup>th</sup> January Sabbath. Another  
winter day. Snow on the ground - good  
Sleighing. Patter and Clayton at church.  
The rheumatism has been troubling me  
for a few days and I have been keeping  
by the fire. Paul in bed as usual.  
Mr W<sup>m</sup> is in bed and out just as it happens.  
Anna in the kitchen. Whist Brown  
boy. About around.

This evening Patter and Clayton at  
our church. Rev Taylor preached.  
17<sup>th</sup> January Monday. Patter  
left on the early train for Limerick.  
Stocker here with Clayton in the cellar.



St Clayton at the Old Home January 1910  
most of the day. He was here to dinner.  
Miss Brown waiting on her patients  
and Superintending generally, Anna  
Dwyer in the kitchen. Albert at Co. this  
P.M. on an errand for the family.

Palter returned from Kenia.

18<sup>th</sup> January. Tuesday -  
Isaf moderated. Rain last night  
Snow all off - Clayton and Palter and  
Albert out all P.M. - This afternoon  
Mr W.C. and Clayton at town. Over  
Arthur and I called at Bunn-  
garder's - We had a nice call  
with them - Mrs Bunngarder has  
brought her little four months grand  
son to care for and has quite a charge  
Paul has been in bed most of the  
day of no real. Miss Brown, looking  
after things generally. Albert brought a load of coal

19<sup>th</sup> January Wednesday  
Moderated still a little more. Seen



Shinering to day for a change. Patter left on the early train for X-Albert and Clayton busy all day.

This afternoon Anna and Mr. W<sup>c</sup> and I at C—Mr. W<sup>c</sup> at the Sisters and I spent the afternoon with Aunt Belle—

Anna among her friends—Miss Brown looking after Paul and Superintending generally. Another day for him in bed. Patter home <sup>this</sup> evening.

20<sup>th</sup> January Thurs. Another mild day. The deer shining—Patter left again at an early hour for Dayton.

Clayton and Albert out all day among the stock. Anna busy. This afternoon Miss Brown and Mr. W<sup>c</sup> at C. Paul not very well again yesterday and to day.

A change in the weather this evening. Raining and getting cold. Patter returned this evening.

21<sup>st</sup> January Friday. Quite a rough disagreeable—blowing and snowing. Patter husked a few sheaves of



At Clayton at the old Home January 19/10.  
 came for a change. Clayton out look-  
 ing after the stock all day. This afternoon  
 Albert at town at mill & Mr. Brown  
 taking care of Paul and so forth and  
 Superintending generally. She is change-  
 his matters to something he wants -  
 Anna busy. I have been busy today  
 too. the m<sup>rs</sup> up & down - he took a little  
 walk out today. This is a very rough  
 evening.

22<sup>nd</sup> January. Saturday. Quite  
 a rough day. Blowing and snowing -  
 Clayton and Patter and Albert among  
 the stock in late this P.M. Clayton and  
 Patter at C - Clayton out Tenant  
 from Edd Deans farm - he is wanting  
 a place for the summer.

Miss Brown busy as usual. Father  
 up and down all day. Paul in bed  
 most of the time as usual.

After Supper Albert took Anna to town  
 She will be back tomorrow

23<sup>rd</sup> January. Sunday.  
 cold day. Clayton  
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 in the cold  
 with a little  
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 Albert will  
 m<sup>rs</sup> - Anna

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 Mrs. Payer  
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23<sup>rd</sup> January Sabbath. Snow on the ground. Another cold day. Clayton and Patter at church. Sermon by Rev Taylor. I was afraid to venture out in the cold. Miss Brown prepared the dinner with a little assistance and took care of her patients. Paul in bed most of the time as usual. Mr. Mc. Brown. Albert with us. This is a bright evening. Anna came back in good time.

24<sup>th</sup> January Monday -

Snow on the ground - Moderated a little. The old spotted Pony died last night. He had quite a history as extensively known - but he <sup>had</sup> had his day and now he is gone. Albert and Clayton among the street all day. Patter in town this P.M. - and at town this P.M. - and evening - he and Clayton at the Opera House to sight at a meeting for J. P. Payer. Mr. Mc. and Miss Brown at town this afternoon. Paul has been in bed most of the day as usual. Anna busy <sup>has</sup> Hugh called.

25<sup>th</sup> January Tues. Moderated



At Clayton & at the old Home January 1910.  
 Considerably - a light covering of snow  
 on the ground. Clayton and Albert and  
 Potter all busy. This afternoon Mr McE and  
 Anna Woodis far at town. Albert brought  
 a load of coal - Mr Ed Stooly and  
 Clayton in the cellar working on engine  
 most of the afternoon. Dave McE here this  
 P.M. and made a little visit. Miss Brown  
 selling the horse in order and went  
 with Clayton to town. When he went to  
 the lecture and went on the evening  
 train to Columbus. She will visit her  
 brother at Athens while away - Potter  
 at the lecture too this evening. Paul  
 has been in bed most of the day as  
 usual. Bright moonlight to night.

26<sup>th</sup> January Wednesday -  
 Moderated considerably - Clayton and  
 Potter drove to Xenia and went over  
 on the car to Dayton - Albert in charge  
 here. North's man here and put  
 grate in the furnace was here  
 but a short time - Will Creswell

and men he  
 have going  
 to wait on  
 to day as he  
 after dark  
 1844

at 8 - and  
 sent Mary  
 this morning  
 sent Mary  
 with Paul  
 of the day  
 about 10

had moderate  
 these days on  
 the R.R. Road  
 Albert has  
 Robinson he  
 here with  
 as usual



and men here sailing bay this P.M.  
 Anna going along nicely and is helping  
 to wait on Paul. It has been some  
 to day as Clayton and Patten home  
 after dark. This is my sister day,  
 1844 ——— 1840.

27 January. Thursday Patten  
 at C — and brought Aunt Mary out —  
 Aunt Mary K. and Aunt Matt helping  
 Mrs. Hissman with her boarders in  
 Aunt Mary's absence — She is here to be  
 with Paul & co. — He has been in bed most  
 of the day. He is not so well for  
 about two weeks.

28<sup>th</sup> January Friday. It  
 has moderated a little. Ben is out  
 these days on his own acct husking at  
 the R.R. Robinson and Patten and  
 Albert husking — Clayton busy.

Robinson here to dinner — Aunt Mary  
 here with Paul — He has been in bed  
 as usual. Patten at C — at Sister Pigg's



At Clayton at the old Home Jan. 1910.  
 this Eve. - She will open a new acct  
 next week

29<sup>th</sup> January Saturday Snowing  
 a little all day - But much colder this  
 evening - Clayton and Albert and  
 Patter busy with the stock and hauling  
 in corn. He had Mr. W. walk off to  
 Arthur's this morning on a little errand -  
 This afternoon Aunt Mary called and  
 Mrs. Suther went with her to call at  
 Mrs. Bumgardner's. This evening Albert  
 at town - Later Miss Brown called up.  
 and Clayton went down for her  
 She came in at seven from Columbus -

Aunt Mary with us to night - we are slow  
 to let her get home & her visits helped  
 us.

30<sup>th</sup> January Sabbath. Snowing  
 and blowing this morning Patter  
 took Aunt Mary down to Sabbath  
 School & Church. Later Clayton  
 went down to church - Mr. F. L. Dartman



a representative of the Anti-Slavery League  
 work in this State folks for ~~many~~  
 up to day in our Church - Miss Brown  
 talking care of her patients - Paul  
 Stomach giving him trouble  
 again - Came very pleasantly  
 Mr Mac around as usual. Anna  
 here - Our usual Sabbath reading  
 and a good day. Albert here  
 as usual. Quite a good deal colder  
 this evening

31<sup>st</sup> January - Monday.

Another cold day but Sunshine -

Clayton and Albert and Patter around  
 to day - This afternoon Albert hauling  
 another load of Coal from town.

Mr Mac and Miss Brown at 6 - Anna  
 busy - Paul in bed most of the day.

~~6 P.M.~~ This evening we had  
 a guest from off the hills to lunch and with  
 us to night in the furnace room.



At the old Home on the 1st Feb 1910  
February.

1st Feb. Tuesday. Moderated quite a good deal - Mr. Waddell's carriage part of with the teacher - Clayton rode down ~~the~~ it - and went with Mr. & Mrs. Waddell on the train to London to the sale - Albert and Patten left in charge here - Mrs. Brown - Gray - Paul has been in bed most of the day.

This afternoon Mr. W. and Annie and I at town - I attended a meeting at Aunt Mary's her Bible class about 18 or twenty assembled there.

Among the ones that interested me most was Mrs. Morton and Aunt Belle and Sister Mary K. - and Lizzie Kyle. Rainey these were ~~also~~ on looked - but enjoyed the meeting all the same - The class presented Aunt Mary with a set of fur and a pair of gloves.

Refreshments were served - at four

Delbert W. H.  
home -  
day in London  
Mrs. Kempf  
more Mrs.  
ing after a  
and Albert  
This afternoon  
Mrs. Knott  
and Clayton  
to town - I  
proper meeting  
at Aunt Mary's  
one, Mrs. W.  
this evening  
came - all  
Kings for  
Annie's bus  
night - snow



Delbert, Mr. Mac and Annie and I came home. Clayton home he had a nice day in London. He called to see Mr. & Mrs. Kemph.

2 Feb. Wed. Moderated Still more. Mrs. Dick Yowles died this morning after a few days illness. Clayton and Albert and Potter busy.

This afternoon Mr. Frank Cresswell and Miss Knott called to see Paul. Mr. Mac and Clayton around the back road to town. I went down alone to the prayer meeting at the church. Called at Saint Mary's and she rode off with me. Mr. Mac came home with me this evening and later Clayton came - Albert and Potter out at Hude Hughes for straw. Miss Brown and Annie busy.

3 Feb. Thursday. Rain last night - Snowing off and on to day. Clayton



Seated with Sister H. & she is a new acct except with

At Clayton's at the old Home. ~~Feb.~~ 1910.  
and Albert and Patter being engaged  
the up and down all day. Paul  
in bed most of the time as usual.  
Mrs Brown and Anna busy. We were  
completely taken by surprise this  
afternoon by receiving a telephone  
message from Columbus from Hattie  
saying she would be here on the  
evening train - What a surprise to  
Clayton at Uncle Hugh's and brought her  
home. It is certainly fine to know  
that she is here.

4<sup>th</sup> Feb Friday - Rather  
a nice day. Miss Brown and Mr. W. at  
C. this A.M. Albert Harris left us  
this morning - he went away to  
table treatment - he has been here since  
the 17<sup>th</sup> of Nov. Clayton and Patter taking  
care of the stock - Aunt Mary H. - represent-  
ing me at the shower at Mrs. Theashers  
this afternoon - Hattie here with us  
Paul in bed most of the time - Anna  
busy.

5<sup>th</sup> Feb. Sat. H.  
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Albert came  
gone since  
Hattie



5<sup>th</sup> Feb. Sat. A winter day. Clayton and Patter  
among the stock until noon - This  
afternoon when Clayton went to town <sup>Hannie</sup>  
went with him and called at Aunt Mary's  
and at Aunt Mathe. Aunt Belle and  
so in Cincinnati this week. The Dick  
Lonsdaley buried this afternoon - quite  
a large funeral - Miss Brown and Anna  
Brody. Paul in bed most of the day as  
usual. Mr. Mc around. This evening  
Patter took Anna to C to meet her folks.

6<sup>th</sup> February. Sabbath - Quite  
a winter day - but not withstanding the  
fact I went to church with Clayton - Patter  
there too - Sermon by Rev Taylor - Inspiring a  
way for the coming of the Lord.

Hannie and Miss Brown had dinner ready  
when we came home - Paul has been in bed  
most of the day - Mr. Mc very nervous.  
Albert came back last night - having been  
gone since Friday morning.

Anna returned this evening.



At the Old Home at Clayton February 1910  
 7<sup>th</sup> February, Monday. Quite a winter  
 day. Cary Holton brought Ray Davis  
 from Gladstone here to see Clayton  
 he is to come the 1<sup>st</sup> of March.

This afternoon Miss Brown and Mr. Mac  
 at town. Paul has been in bed most  
 of the time Anna busy. Fannie around  
 Clayton and Albert and Patter baby.

8<sup>th</sup> Feb. Tuesday. Moderated  
 quite a good deal. Clayton and Patter  
 and Albert busy with the stock. This  
 afternoon Ralph called and took him  
 with him to Charleston - home again  
 in good time. This afternoon I drove  
 out to the home of the late Samuel  
 Rainey to see Mrs R - she expects  
 to move to X - this week and later  
 to the west. I had a nice call - she  
 was one of my school friends,  
 Paul in bed most of the day - Mr. Mac

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 Miss B-  
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 on the 8<sup>th</sup>

been a bear  
 had fallen  
 Clayton and  
 Miss Brown  
 conveyance  
 train the  
 come down  
 met her at  
 Clayton to  
 Fannie's  
 been in bed



very nervous must of the time. Miss B - and Anna say Paul not feeling well with his stomach. Annie with us - this evening she and Clayton at town. Mr. Ray Henderson called to see Paul but he has not been feeling well to day so Miss B - thought it best for him not to see him. This is ~~Hanna's~~ birthday the first time she has been home on the 8<sup>th</sup> of February since 1891.

9<sup>th</sup> Feb. Wed. This has been a beautiful winter day. The snow has fallen in large flakes all day. Clayton and Albert and Patten busy.

Miss Brown rode down in Waddell's conveyance this morning to the early train - she went to Columbus and came down this evening. Clayton met her at the train. This afternoon Clayton took father with him to town. Annie taking care of Paul - he has been in bed most of the day. Anna busy.



At the old home at Clayton Feb. 10, 1910.

10<sup>th</sup> Feb. Thursday. Snow on the ground - moderated a little. Clayton and Patter and Albert busy. This afternoon Annie and Mr. W. at town. Mrs. Brown busy. Fannie helping her make doughnuts this P.M. - A telegram from Fred asking Fannie if she would be here Sabbath but she had all her arrangements to go home tomorrow evening.

Paul has been in bed most of the time to day. He ~~expected to~~ <sup>did not</sup> ~~but~~ <sup>but he did</sup> ~~not~~ <sup>not come</sup> this P.M.

11<sup>th</sup> Feb. Friday. Snowing but this evening it is quite rough snowing and blowing. Fannie with us to day this afternoon. She packed her suit case - when it came to the last day for any of the children to be with us - we always feel a wave of sadness. Fannie seemed sorry to have her go. Clayton and Albert and Patter busy. Paul has been out on the porch in the snow most of the day. Oh how



desolate it seems to an onlooker.  
 This evening Clayton called at  
 Baldwin and when he came back  
 he took ~~her~~ <sup>her</sup> to the C. & O. train. The through  
 Express stopped for her - if all goes well  
 she will be home tomorrow afternoon  
 at four o'clock.

12 Feb Sat. Snow on the  
 ground quite a winter day. I have  
 been on the sick list last night and  
 today. Mr. Mc around - Paul in bed most  
 of the time - Clayton and Patter and Albert  
 on the program - This evening Patter  
 at Q - for the family. Miss Brown and  
 Anna employed very much to day's  
 usual.

13 Feb Sabbath - A pleasant  
 winter day. Clayton and Patter at our  
 church. The two week Revival Service began  
 today. How sorry I am I was not able to  
 be there for Rev. Pelt our M. C. Brother  
 preached - text "Out of the depths have  
 I cried unto, O Lord". Sermon very impressive.  
 Anna away this P.M. - and evening, Miss



St Clayton at the old Home. Feb- 1910

Brown and the rest of us her Paul  
on the porch as usual. I have been in  
bed to day again.

14<sup>th</sup> February. Monday  
Rather a pleasant winter day

This morning Clayton and Albert  
and Ernest Arthur left with three four  
loads of hogs for Cedarville  
38 head in all at \$8.60 - they averaged 25 lbs.  
Mr Edd Shover of Yellow Springs bought them.

They did not get home until  
after one. I have such an excellent nurse  
I concluded to take one day more in  
bed. Miss B. along with her patients  
got the washings ready and Peter took  
them to town this afternoon - 4.30 PM  
out and around this P.M. - Paul in  
bed most of the time Anna busy.

I did not forget that  
it is 3 years this evening that Helen  
and Isabel were married. Father and  
Clayton and Clara and I spent the day

with him at  
Helen's Red

Snow going  
Clayton to  
the Cattle  
trimming  
here to day

and Peter  
sprayer m  
extended

fast B -  
broyd got  
one letter  
folded to

coming  
Clayton at 4  
Albert J  
H. message  
him at  
even



with him at Springfield at the Bookwalter  
 of a Red Letter day in our lives.

15<sup>th</sup> February - Tuesday.

Snow going off - Albert Patter busy.  
 Clayton took father with him to see  
 the Cattle this M<sup>o</sup> - Ben Irvin here  
 trimming the grape vines - he was  
 here to dinner - This afternoon Clayton  
 and Patter at Dave M<sup>o</sup> Willens at the  
 prayer meeting - it was quite an  
 extended affair - They came home  
 fast 8 - Miss Brown & Annie both  
 busy - I got up at noon to day & got a  
 nice letters from several of the  
 folks to day.

16<sup>th</sup> Feb. Wednesday. Snow  
 coming down in earnest all day.  
 Clayton at Uncle Hughes - Thursday.

Albert feeding all day long.

A message from Dr. Hunt to meet  
 him at Calverts at Yelma this  
 evening - Patter got Arthur & Storm



At Claytons at the old home Feb. 1810  
front and went to meet him.

We had comfortable quarters for him when  
he arrived - Miss Brown had Paul come  
into the fire to meet the Dr. when he  
was through then he came down stairs  
to supper and spent a little while with  
father - after supper he went down  
to the train with Stuart Arthur - The Dr.  
made us very happy by visiting our  
fears about Paul - we think now he  
is on the way to complete recovery.

17<sup>th</sup> Feb. Thursday. One  
of the worst days of the season - It has  
snowed and blowed all day. So bad  
the mail carrier failed to come.  
Clayton and Albert and Potter busy with  
the stock. This P.M. - Albert at town  
at the office. The prayer meetings  
at Mr. Townsleys and through the  
church postponed on acct of the  
weather - Paul has been in bed  
most of the day as usual. Mr. H. up

and down  
Cold - but  
snow so deep  
impassable -  
off the road  
brought the  
Clayton and  
Stuart Paul

at a stand  
direction -  
Clayton and  
this afternoon  
Miss Brown  
and looking  
some bright  
and day on

Shining -  
I was out of  
Clayton and



and down - Whiss B - and Anna Gray,  
 18<sup>th</sup> Feb. Friday - The sun shining  
 & cold - But the snow has drifted - and the  
 snow so deep that the roads are almost  
 impassable - no mail carrier to day again -  
 W. W. Wadde whom coming after the teacher  
 brought the mail out for us this evening  
 Clayton and Patter and Albert busy with the  
 stock. Paul in bed most of the day.

19<sup>th</sup> Feb. Saturday. The weather  
 at a stand still snow drifted in every  
 direction - No mail carrier to day again  
 Clayton and Albert and Patter all busy.  
 This afternoon Father and Clayton at  
 this afternoon. Father at the sisters.

Miss Brown taking care of her patients -  
 and looking after things generally -  
 Anna Gray! I have been working the sec-  
 ond day on my scrap book -

20<sup>th</sup> Feb. Sabbath. The sun  
 shining - the snow just as deep as ever.  
 I was not feeling well this morning -  
 Clayton entertaining a basket of little pigs



St Clayton at the old Home Feb-1910.  
 at the Kitchen Store this morning.  
 He and Patter at Church - Sermon by  
 Rev Graham - Miss Brown taking care  
 of her patients - Paul in bed most  
 of the day. The Porch seemed a drag  
 to day to him - he is not feeling  
 any too well. Anna drag - All at  
 our books this afternoon - Albert around -  
 This Evening Clayton and Patter at  
 Union service at the M. E. Church - Rev  
 Graham preached to a crowded house  
 all could not be seated.

21<sup>st</sup> Feb - Monday. Began  
 thawing to day - The mail carrier on  
 track - Clayton and Patter and Albert drag.  
 Miss Brown and Annie got busy and  
 cleaned my room to day - made  
 a complete thing of it. Paul in  
 bed most of the day. His appetite has  
 failed him - but little he cares for to  
 eat. This afternoon Mr. M. E. went to  
 Sedanville with Clayton - Called at  
 the District. This evening Mr. Stuart



Feb. 1910.  
 Arthur here to see Paul. Word has been rec'd  
 here of the death of Mrs Alford she died  
 in Los Angeles the 3rd of Feb. and Mrs  
 Mary Ramsey died the 30 of Dec - both  
 members of the same little Covenant  
 Church there.

22nd Feb - Tuesday Our Snow  
 still with us. Clayton and Patter and  
 Albert Bray This afternoon Mr W<sup>c</sup> and  
 Anna at town. Clayton bring<sup>ing</sup> his boys  
 up to different quarters and to weigh  
 Miss Brown in charge. Paul sat in the  
 Sunshine this afternoon.

23rd Feb - Wed. Our Snow  
 still with us but getting settled.  
 Clayton and Albert and Patter Bray with  
 the stock. This afternoon cloudy  
 Paul in bed most of the time Miss B -  
 and Anna cleaned Ediths room. She  
 sent telegram to Fred "an order".

Mr W<sup>c</sup> around and up and down all  
 day The night is beautiful. I was  
 from off the pile here to lunch.



At Clayton at the old home Feb. 1900

24<sup>th</sup> Feb. Thurs. Snow still with us  
 A nice winter day but cold —  
 Miss Brown at home doing the  
 errands of the family the P.M.  
 Clayton and Patten and Albert busy  
 with the stock all — Anna busy —

Paul has been in bed in our room  
 most of the afternoon — for the first —  
 Mr. W<sup>c</sup> around all day. This evening  
 Clayton and Patten at our church  
 to night — Rev Patton from the Springs  
 preached. 25<sup>th</sup> Feb Friday. On Snow

Stands firm — It is much colder to day  
 Clayton and Patten & Albert busy.

Anna at her work — Miss Brown  
 Superintending. Paul in bed all day  
 he was in our bed part of the time.

The morning mail brought me  
 a beautiful face veil and two hundred  
 Vaphine paper ones from Fannie. Paul  
 also was remembered.

This afternoon Clayton and Mr. W<sup>c</sup>

at Helena —  
 This evening  
 at our church  
 one of the  
 to go, all  
 very much  
 Clayton and  
 the stock  
 Clayton and  
 sermon by  
 text as above  
 be making  
 it be his life  
 Paul in  
 the rest of  
 Patten and  
 folks. Mr.  
 general the  
 Miss Brown  
 and Patten  
 by Rev Martin



at Selma - He met Mr. Calvert.

This evening Clayton and Patter  
at our church - Sermon by Rev Patter again  
one of the night his text "Is it nothing  
to you, all ye that pass by?"

26<sup>th</sup> Feb. Saturday

Very much warmer - a general thaw.

Clayton and Patter and Albert among  
the street until noon. This P. M. -

Clayton and Patter and I at church -

Sermon by Rev Martain of Xenia -  
text "as always so now also Christ shall  
be magnified in my body whether  
it be by life or by death."

Paul in our bed and on the porch  
the rest of the time. This evening  
Patter and Emma to town to meet her  
folly. Mr. & Mrs. around all day.

27<sup>th</sup> Feb. Sabbath. A

general thaw - raining a little -  
Miss Brown here in charge - Clayton  
and Patter and I at our church. Sermon  
by Rev Martain of Xenia. Text "That



At Home at Clayton 8 Feb. 1910.  
 in all things he might have the  
 "Green inure" This was our (Communion  
 Sabbath. They were 16 taken in to our  
 church at this time and most of  
 them from the world - Some ten  
 or twelve of them baptised - Some  
 of them "Jerusalem Jimmies" - But  
 Christ came to seek and to save  
 that which was lost and none that  
 come shall he in any wise cast out.

Some say we can not feel that we  
 are living in another age - old walls -  
 and old deeds seems to be given away - &  
 there is a New day a dawning - a brighter  
 day.

28<sup>th</sup> Feb. Monday. Moderated  
 but the roads in bad shape - Clayton and  
 Albert and Potter busy with the fleet.

This afternoon Miss Brown and Mr Mac  
 at town - While they were away Rev  
 Mills Taylor and Prof McChesney called.  
 They went at different times to the  
 porch to see Paul - We enjoyed their  
 call. Anna busy today.

10<sup>th</sup> March 1910  
 and water  
 called and  
 the sale -  
 from here  
 night. This  
 at town and  
 with them a  
 after supper  
 after when  
 for home  
 and came  
 and came  
 were certain  
 had disappeared  
 took from  
 was both true.  
 "Crest Hughes"  
 line after  
 stayed at  
 the congreg  
 the church -  
 for Christ



March. 1910.

1<sup>st</sup> March. Tuesday. Thawing - plenty of mud and water. This morning Ralph Haddock called and Clayton with him to London to the Gale - Albert and Patten busy. Ben Brown here husking and with us to night. This P.M. - Mr. Mc and Annie at town and Aunt Mary came home with them and made us a little visit. After supper she went back to town with Patten when he went down to the train for Homer. He was at Harpersville Va yesterday and came to Columbus yesterday evening and came down here this evening - we were certainly glad to see him.

2<sup>nd</sup> March. Wed. Wind - the snow has disappeared. This morning Clayton took Homer out to Uncle Silas's they were both there to dinner. Clayton at Uncle Silas's this P.M.

This afternoon Father at town and stayed at Aunt Jennett's while I attended the congregational prayer meeting at the church. Subject winning the world for Christ had a pretty good audience.



At Clayton at the old Home March 1916  
 When Clayton came to town Mr. W.C.  
 went home with him and I waited  
 for Homer until Uncle Silas brought  
 him in. We called at Aunt Matt's  
 and Mary K. and met our Aunt Mary  
 there. Porter took Clayton to the  
 evening train - he expects to meet  
 Edette in Chicago in the morning.  
 I had a nice letter from her  
 to day - a general rejoicing when she comes  
 home.

3<sup>rd</sup> March Thursday. Homer at Co  
 this A.M. home at noon. Albert and Porter  
 busy. Ben at the corn these days.

This afternoon Homer took father to town  
 Miss Brown on the fly - Annie Gray.

Paul has been in bed as usual.

This evening Walter W. called he was  
 here to supper and took Homer to the  
 evening train - he goes to Columbus  
 and from there to Va. tomorrow evening.

It is just a year to day since Fred called.

at Clayton  
 took me to  
 and Clara  
 with us to  
 at the Home  
 night - and  
 went home  
 went with  
 went on  
 day - Homer  
 the trail.  
 work. Ben  
 Anna Gray  
 Sally W.C.  
 father at to  
 from Clayton  
 will come  
 Paul has be  
 Homer brought  
 had it once



at Hunt's Hospital in Columbus and took me to the train and met Father and Clara along the line and went with us to Cincinnati - we met Homer at the Grand Hotel - we were there all night - and in the morning Paul went back to Des Moines and Homer went with us to Atlanta - and we went on to Winter Park, Florida -

4<sup>th</sup> March. Friday. A. Bright day - Almost like Spring - Mud on the track. Our tenant moved in yesterday. Potter and Albert at the work. Ben at the corner - Miss B. and Anna busy. This afternoon Dave and Sallie W.C. called - Later Miss B. and Father at town. A telephone message from Clayton at Dayton - he and Edith will come in on the evening train. Paul has been in bed most of the day. Homer brought him an electric bell - he has it nice dressing order - Potter went



At Home at Clapton 8. March 1910  
down to the 6.40 train for Clapton  
and Edith - It seemed fine to  
see Edith again.

5<sup>th</sup> March. Saturday - A mild  
day indeed. Ben absent. Patter and Albert  
and Clapton busy. Paul is bed most  
of the day, W<sup>m</sup> W<sup>m</sup> up and down all day.  
This P.M. Miss Brown at L - This Evening  
Albert at town Annie went down with  
him to meet her father. We got a letter  
from Dr Hunt with encouraging news -  
our new tenant Roy David at town and  
brought Edith's trunk out.

6<sup>th</sup> March. Sabbath -  
Quite mild - Clayton Patter and  
Edith and I at Church. Rev Taylor's  
text of "This" both of the law shall not  
depart out of thy mouth. But thou  
Shalt meditate therein day and night  
that thou mayest observe to do according  
to all that is written therein - for

then shalt  
and  
success

Miss Brown  
Paul - She

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in field by  
Albert free



then shalt thou make thy way prosper-  
ous, and thou shalt have good  
success" Albert around here today  
Miss Brown here with Father and  
Paul. She had dinner prepared when  
we came home. Dull & cloudy  
this evening very much like  
rain.

7<sup>th</sup> March Monday. Much cooler  
today. Our tenant David & Patten husking  
Albert and Clayton feeding. Annie busy  
and so has Miss Brown. Paul in bed  
as usual. Mr Mc out awhile this P.M.  
Edith with us. Clayton out at Uncle Hugh's  
there for supper.

8<sup>th</sup> March. Tuesday. The  
Sun is shining. Ben and Patten  
and Tenant Davis at the corn husking  
in field by the house. Clayton and  
Albert feeding. Uncle Hugh here



At Home at Clayton March 1910.  
 to dinner This afternoon he and  
 Clayton across the Country on a trade  
 This afternoon. Mrs. Mrs Taylor and  
 baby called - they went from here  
 to Bunn gardeners. Later Father went  
 with Miss B - and Edith to town.

9<sup>th</sup> March Wed. Rather a  
 nice day. Father, Ben and Albert and  
 enant house David at the husking  
 Clayton and Albert feeding. Uncle  
 Hugh here to dinner and out at  
 Uncle Silas this P.M. I went to C - this  
 afternoon - I made some calls and  
 met Mr. W. when he came to town  
 with Uncle Hugh - I spent a little while  
 with Aunt Belle. Annie busy with Brown  
 at her work. Paul has been in bed  
 most of the day. Edith around.

10<sup>th</sup> March. Thursday. Rather  
 mild - yet cold. Father left an early  
 hour for Dayton. Ben and enant David

at the bank  
 feeding  
 Mrs W - C  
 Uncle Hugh  
 at C - M  
 day, Paul  
 the time  
 Annie busy  
 a pleasant  
 her house the  
 noon. Father  
 for Dayton  
 looked at C  
 afternoon C  
 And father  
 daughter Ben  
 of Uncle  
 bed most  
 finished  
 one.



at the husking, Clayton and Albert  
feeding - This afternoon Edith at  
Mrs W<sup>m</sup> Creswells at the embroidery club.

Uncle Hugh called - Later Clayton  
at C - Mr Mc around in & out all  
day. Paul has been in bed most of  
the time. Miss Brown at her work -  
Dinnie busy.

11<sup>th</sup> March, Friday. Father  
a pleasant day. Ben Ann working in the  
hen house this A.M. - He was here until  
noon. Father returned last night - and left  
for Dayton this morning. The corn all  
husked at last - Albert feeding. This  
afternoon Clayton at Selma - Miss Brown  
and father at Town. Sam Bell and  
daughter sent out a beautiful bouquet  
of huckleberries to Paul. He has been in  
bed most of the day. Edith around -  
I finished reading the book Mrs Shontz gave  
me.



At Home at the old Home with Clayton March 19/10.

12<sup>th</sup> March Saturday Warming up a good deal Mr. W. and I at town this morning - Albert began flogging yesterday and at it 4 days again. Patter feeding. This afternoon Sumner's sister called for her. Her term of work expired here today. She has been a very good girl - we were sorry to have her go.

This P.M. Clayton and Edith left for Springfield - Miss Brown taking care of Paul and Insuperintending in Edith's absence. Albert at town this evening.

Clayton & Edith home after dark - They had supper in Springfield.

15<sup>th</sup> March Sabbath Cool - Clayton and Patter and Edith and I at Church. Subject - The Shipwreck of Souls on the voyage of life.

Miss Brown looking after the sick folk and a nice dinner awaiting us. Albert with us. This afternoon Dr. Hunt

Came from  
first train  
altogether  
after lunch  
Seven o'clock  
of the day.

Rather soon  
Brown at  
Spire of  
Storky car  
at 6 - on  
the floor  
around -  
looking at  
in bed a  
intending  
special trip  
out Paul's



Came - Some one brought him from the  
fast train in Charleston - He was not  
altogether discouraged about Paul -  
After lunch Patter took him to the  
Seven O'clock train - Paul in bed most  
of the day. ~~He~~ ~~up~~ ~~up~~ & down.

14<sup>th</sup> March, Monday.

Rather rough this morning. Miss  
Brown at 6 - and brought Ethel  
Squire out - She began work at noon.  
Storky called this P.M. - Later Clayton  
at 6 - on an errand - Albert at  
the flowing. Patter feeding. ~~He~~ ~~He~~  
around - But nervous. Miss Brown  
looking after Paul & Co - He has been  
in bed a usual. Edith busy super-  
intending. This evening Patter made a  
special trip to the office - and brought  
out Paul's medicine from Dr R.



At Clayton's at the old Home. March-1910

15 March. Tuesday. Quite frosty - and a cold wind. Father

I went to town this morning and brought Aunt Jennette and Aunt Matt out to make us a little visit and to see Paul. This afternoon Miss Brown took them home - She made a breakfast - This P.M. Clayton at Pelma. Miss Eva Arthur here to call -

16 March. Wednesday

More pleasant. Ben Brown here and began cleaning the yard about plowing - Davis here helping Father feed Clayton's boy. Mr. Brown's boy with Paul - He is not quite so well these days - neither is Father.

Ethel at her work - This afternoon Clayton went to the Clements Sale <sup>at James Brown</sup> Edith went along and stopped off at Cedarville and made calls - and finally she and Clayton took

Supper at  
Sowing Club  
and this

day but  
Ben in the  
P.M. Ben  
Went for  
Went Brown

Stayed in  
of the day  
Ethel at  
this after

meeting -  
He had from  
name of

the member  
I stopped  
the first  
had been  
and saw



Snuffer at Aunt Belle's, Tenant Mrs. Davis  
Sowing Clover seed yesterday afternoon  
and this.

17<sup>th</sup> March, Thursday. A nice  
day but still cool. Albert at his plowing  
Ben in the yard. Patten feeding. This  
P.M. Tenant Davis at the Clover sowing.  
Mr. Joe Lafever called this P.M.  
Miss Brown waiting on Paul. He  
Stayed in bed on the porch most all  
of the day - he is very weak.  
Ethel at her work.

This afternoon, I attended the W.C.T.U.  
meeting - at their room at the Library Building.  
We had quite a full meeting. Several  
names added to our list - Edith among  
the number of the new members.

I stopped to speak to Sallie M. and to  
Mrs. J. J. Townsley as I came home.  
Fred has been to Boston and to N.Y.  
and saw Hannibal & Jason J. and



At Clayton at the Old Home March 1910.  
 Came to Columbus this P.M. and  
 came to Cedarville this evening. Patten  
 met him at the train -

18<sup>th</sup> March, Friday.  
 Much more like Spring. And with  
 of this morning, He came with  
 his plans last night to take Paul to  
 the Hospital to Columbus. I was bitterly  
 opposed. I felt like he might as  
 well die at home. I think Paul  
 felt about the same - but we told  
 the matter to the Lord and this morn-  
 ing there seemed to a general change  
 for those who were opposed last  
 night were in favor this morning  
 of the move - it is now arranged that  
 he goes on the early train tomorrow  
 morning. Paul is now getting in-  
 terested - and willing to go. Miss  
 Brown getting his things ready.



The men busy Albert plowing and Ben  
in the yard scrubt room - working on  
trees. Clayton & Patter and tenant Davis  
busy. This afternoon late when Waddle  
came up ~~after~~ the teacher, this is his shift?  
Sunt Mary Munday rode up with him  
and stopped off here she is with us  
to night - This is Pauls last night - but  
what awaits him? Only the dear Lord  
knows. Let us be satisfied that all  
that concerns us is in his hand.

19<sup>th</sup> March Saturday, quite  
an eventful day. This morning Mr.  
Clune Waddle drove up to the front  
door with his two gray and Chase  
carriage for Paul. in a short time  
he was <sup>in</sup> carriage and Miss Brown & Fred  
went with him to the Jelma train  
they made his bed in carriage and  
wrapped him in blankets - Mrs.  
Waddle stayed with them until they



At Clayton at the Old Home March. 1910.  
 were fixed on the train - they  
 arranged a bed for him there -  
 when they reached Columbus. The  
 Hospital men met them at the  
 train and took him right out to Dr  
 Hunt's Private Hospital - Miss Brown  
 went with them. Fred went out later.  
 It certainly was a great change for  
 him and for us all. It is the first  
 time he has been out since he came  
 down from Columbus in August from  
 staying a week at the Hospital then  
 He has spent most of his time in a  
 bed on the porch. Miss Brown has been  
 faithful here all of these months &  
 And it is a change for her to get out  
 as well as for Paul - for we all realize  
 She needs a rest. It seems lonely here with-  
 out Paul and Miss Brown. Aunt Mary  
 with us. Edith Superintending, Ethel  
 Gray, Albert Plowing Clayton and  
 Walter body & tenant house man. Clayton

met Fred in  
 on the porch  
 came home  
 about Paul  
 wagon - the  
 for Paul  
 with Clayton  
 mild day  
 Mary and  
 nothing - or  
 when we hear  
 had dinner  
 Clayton  
 he was down  
 out at Dr  
 after two and  
 Aunt Mary  
 after lunch  
 Carl and  
 Church. P.



met Fred in Charleston - he came down  
on the fast train at three o'clock. Fred  
came home very much encouraged  
about Paul. Patter at town for water  
wagon - this P. M. - Aunt Matt called  
up for Fred to come down - he went  
with Clayton - Albert in town too.

20<sup>th</sup> March - Sabbath. A  
mild day. Patter and Fred and Aunt  
Mary and I at Church. Rev Taylor's subject  
Lithening - or giving the tenth.

When we reached home Edith & Ethel  
had dinner awaiting us. Albert and  
Clayton went to the office for Carl -  
he was due here yesterday. But lost  
out at St Louis - they reached here  
after two and had dinner. Fred and  
Aunt Mary with us. This evening  
after lunch - Clayton and Edith and  
Carl and Aunt Mary went down to  
Church. Rev Taylor preached. Ethel



St Clayton at the old Home March. 1910.  
 went home to be gone until tomorrow  
 Patten took Fred to the train he went  
 off to see Paul and will leave at mid  
 night for Des Moines Taylor preached  
 on temperance -

21<sup>st</sup> March. Monday a mild  
 day. Carl at the school house for two  
 or three copies of Gospel Songs for Aunt  
 Mary's boarding house. When he came  
 back he took her down home -  
 Albert flowing. <sup>Patten</sup> ~~Patten~~ and Davis  
 and Clayton busy. This afternoon  
 Mr. McLean and Carl and I at town we  
 brought Ethel home. This evening  
 Carl at the College at meeting of the  
 Society. Rene Fisher buried today.  
 I see a beautiful picture - on  
 birth day prayer from Miss Shantz  
 mother today. It is beautiful  
 beautiful -

22<sup>nd</sup> March. I  
 Albert flowing  
 fill the air  
 home Davis  
 all the day  
 the shop m  
 with him -  
 windows -  
 busy to do  
 Society  
 43  
 Spring. The  
 to the train  
 to the depot -  
 the depot is  
 and took home  
 I miss the  
 every attend  
 I love dim  
 one in his  
 Mrs Patten



22<sup>nd</sup> March. Tuesday. Quite a Spring day,  
 about flowing. They hauled water to  
 fill the Cistern yesterday. Father & tenant  
 house David's busy feeding - Clayton busy  
 all the day long. This afternoon Carl at  
 the Shop with a flow - The wife rode down  
 with him - Ethel cleaning - and washing  
 windows - Ethel began saving little  
 money to day. This evening Carl out in  
 Society

23<sup>rd</sup> March Wednesday. Almost like  
 Spring. This morning Carl took me  
 to the train for Columbus. Aunt Mary came  
 to the depot to see <sup>me</sup>. Miss Brown at  
 the depot in Columbus to meet me  
 and took me to the hospital - I had  
 a nice ~~chaperon~~ with Paul. He has  
 every attention but is very weak  
 I took dinner there - they served  
 me in his room. Met Dr. Hunt  
 Mrs Patterson and Miss McCay & Miss Gertrude



At the old home at Clayton, N. March 1910.

Salisbury. I took a nap in my old room this afternoon. After telling my dear boy Paul good by I went with Miss Brown and had a nice lunch as I went to the train. Miss Brown certainly is lovely. I do good to Paul. When I reached Cedarville Carl was there - also Uncle Joe and Aunt Mary to hear from Paul. This is a beautiful night - Carl went back to town - he is out in society again to night. Father got along all night - Miss Brown I was going to say but Mrs Edith told him to town this afternoon. Clayton Albert & "Lieutenant" Davis and Father all busy today.

24<sup>th</sup> March Thursday. It has been as warm as December. Ethel finished the ironing. Carl around - this afternoon he took Father to town. This evening

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he went with Stuart & others to town.  
 I but I do miss Paul - I seem to miss  
 him more every day. On the eleventh  
 of this month Richard and Ruth's little  
 brother came to their home & made  
 them quite happy. Clayton & Co getting  
 the potatoes out. Albert plowing  
 today - 25" March. Quite a  
 spring day - No need of fire.

Mr. W. and I took Carl to the train this  
 morning - he will spend the day with  
 Paul at the Hospital - and will start  
 to Des Moines this evening. We  
 had a pleasant visit and was  
 sorry to have him go. Albert plowing  
 Clayton and General House David putting  
 up wire fence. Patten around. Ethel  
 and Ethel cleaned the parlor  
 bed room today. I helped what  
 I could. I began caring for the  
 chickens yesterday - I set two hens.  
 Mr. Lewis Smith called this afternoon.



At Clayton at the Old Home March - 1910.

26<sup>th</sup> March, Saturday. This has been almost like May. Albert departed this morning at an early hour - Davis from the tenant house took his place at the plow.

Clayton and Potter hauling feed the Mc. around home to day. Ethel busy.

~~This evening~~ This evening Clayton and Edith at town Ethel went home - They expected to have met Jimmie Wood span there but failed.

27 March. Sabbath Easter Sunday. Last year on Easter we were at Daytona Florida - Easter Sunday there was the 11<sup>th</sup> of April - but it was warm here today as it was there. Altho it is still March - There every thing was alive and blooming.

Clayton and Edith and Potter at Church Rev Barnes from the H.V. Church gave a talk on India - Father and I here alone - Edith

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I had it on the table when they came.

This Evening Clayton and Edith  
and Patter at the M. P. Church - It is

a fine evening - Clear & beautiful.  
Rev Joseph Kyle preached. Ethel  
came home with them.

28<sup>th</sup> March Monday.  
David from tenant house plowing  
Clayton and Patter feeding.

Ethel brose. Edith cleaned the cupboards  
in the bath room and Ethel cleaned  
the rest of the room. This afternoon  
Edith and Eva Arthur drove out to  
Aunnie Wood's farm home - they also  
called at Jordan Collins's. Aunnie  
is coming back here in the  
near future - Father up and  
down and around all day.

29<sup>th</sup> March Tuesday - It is  
as warm as summer this evening  
Very much little rain this morning  
but cleared off - Clayton took a load  
of potatoes to Springfield. Lara came today



At the old home at Clayton March 1910.

From a stay with Mary and the children  
~~in~~ ~~at~~ Atlanta she has been there  
 since the middle of Oct. - Homer traveling  
 in the interest of the Southern Church  
 and away most of the time. I've  
 stopped with Aunt Jennie & her  
 Sister Laura in Chattahoochee over Sabbath.  
 Potter met her at the S. Springs they  
 were back here to a one o'clock  
 dinner. After dinner father at town  
 with Potter. Edith and Ethel cleaned  
 her room - I put Paul's things away  
 in safe keeping fitted up the wardrobe

and dresser in my room. Clayton did  
 not get home till late - altho everything  
 went on nicely - it seemed a long  
 ride. He bought a horse from Mr. Carson -  
 and that took time in leading home.

30<sup>th</sup> March - Wed. Another  
 summer day. Edith took Clara to the  
 train this morning she went up to  
 Columbus to stay until tomorrow  
 with Paul, David - leaving Clayton

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and I went hauling feed - This afternoon Clayton & father to Haddon's Sale - father drove home in a short time and I went with him to town. Edith brot Ethel done a little cleaning this afternoon -

31st March - A little cool a change from the summer we have been having. Clayton and father at Uncle Hughes helping move fodder. They were there to dinner and got home dark. Davis finished plowing the field by Kyle's. Edith cleaning cupboards & up stairs. Ethel & father around all day. This afternoon I was at the missionary society subject "To Denicelly & Tell the Disciples that he has risen" I led the meeting. We read talk from Prof Palmers Mother of Wooster on mission. This eve poss. Our rode to her home with me. We had a telephone from Clara a favorable report from Paul she will be home tomorrow evening.



At the old Home at Clayton. April. 1910.  
April.

1<sup>st</sup> April Friday. Quite a May day -  
Clayton and Patter busy feeding till  
noon. Davis at the flow - Ethel  
cleaned the hall - &c. This afternoon  
Clayton and Edith at Springfield.  
Clayton called on Geo Carson & Co.  
This evening the wife and I at  
the C. & O. train to meet Clara and were  
quite surprised to find Homer along.  
He came to Columbus today to see  
Paul. In some respects the report  
more favorable - It is nice to have Homer  
and Clara with us. Mr. Riley Stormont died  
last night. He was one of our oldest  
members in our church and one of  
the most faithful.

2<sup>nd</sup> April Saturday  
Another mild day Homer at town  
with a conveyance for Geo Schroder  
and remained in town while  
Geo S. came out to do some repairing.  
Homer reached home near  
noon. Edith and Clara busy. Ethel

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Skinned the Kitchen - This afternoon  
 Homer and Father went to the Kerr  
 farm for a young Chicken for  
 Paul. Mr Myers kindly donated it  
 said he could not take any pay when  
 it was for a Sick person - Father and  
 I made a brief call at town I  
 called at the late Mr Riley Staments  
 to see the family - This General  
 tomorrow afternoon. Spoke High  
 her this P.M. - getting the sheep  
 in shape - After Snapper Homer  
 rode down with him to the train  
 he goes to Columbus to be with Paul  
 tomorrow Fred will be there -  
 Edith and Clara took Ethel down home  
 and called at Aunt Bells -

3<sup>rd</sup> April Sabbath - A  
 little cooler - a sprinkle of rain this  
 evening. Davis from the tenant  
 house on sick list and Clayton had  
 to remain at home with the



St Clapton at the Old Home 1910  
 Stock. Clara at home with Father  
 Patten and Edith and I at Church.  
 Rev Taylor's Subject <sup>10</sup> Giving the Tenth  
 I went home with Aunt Mary K. and  
 both dinner with her and attended  
 Mr. Riley Stasman's General Exercises  
 conducted by Rev Taylor and Prof W. Chas  
 and a P. P. Student from the Seminary.  
 Patten & I came home with him.

The folks expected to have gone to  
 Church - but it looked like a pour down.  
 4<sup>th</sup> April Monday quite  
 a fine day. Warm. The Currant & Plum  
 and Crab tree - are all in bloom.  
 I went at early hour to town and  
 brought Ethel out. She made quite  
 a record to day cleaning. She began  
 and finished the parlor and hall -  
 Patten and Ben cleaned the rug  
 and Edith put on the finishing  
 touches which she excels in doing  
 and the rooms certainly do

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look fine. David off duty. Patten  
took hold of the plow - Ben Irvine  
began work this morning - clean-  
ing in & along the road.

This afternoon Father and I took the  
washings down to town. Mr. Wm.  
Haines died yesterday - and old  
Sister Haggard this morning.

5<sup>th</sup> April "Tuesday. A change  
in the weather - a fierce wind and  
a light shower this evening. Ralph  
Hindock called and went with Clayton  
to London Vale took a horse to  
sell - David from the tenant house  
plowing Ben Innes cleaning Patten  
ferry holing - Clara & Edith in  
the kitchen while Ethel cleaned  
the dining room. This afternoon  
Father and I made a hasty trip  
to town, Clayton and Ralph home  
after food. Clara at the 6.30 train  
and brought Mr. McKenzie out. He



At the Old Home at Clayton April 14/10

I spent the day at Columbus - he stopped there to see Paul. Home there - they took dinner together at Dr. Hunt's - they are a little more hopeful about Paul. It seems like life from the dead.

6<sup>th</sup> April. Wed. Another March day - raining a little and blowing a good deal and cold. Patter blowing in Davis's place this P. M. - Davis & Ben in the cellar working with potatoes. Mr. McKenja here with us. Mrs. W. is in bed a good deal. Uncle Hugh here helping Clayton with sheep - Miss Lulu Henderson called this afternoon. This evening Edith and Clara took Mrs. Mackenzie down to call on the Wills - they took their basket and had supper at Aunt Mary K.'s - they took Mr. McKenja to the Seven O'clock train - he



goes. to look after an  
Academy - will be gone two  
weeks - We certainly had a delight-  
ful day with him - was sorry  
when it came to an end.

7<sup>th</sup> April ~~Thursday~~ Friday Very Cool  
but the wind has fallen. Edith  
and Clara at Springfield. Dan's  
plowing. Patten began in field by  
the house this P.M. Ben helping  
hand feed this A.M. and this afternoon  
cleaning along the pile - This  
afternoon Uncle Hugh here - he and  
Clayton working on sheep - He was  
here to supper - The girls returned  
while we were at the table. Edith  
and I have been busy.

8<sup>th</sup> April. Friday. Quite a  
nice day but comfortable by the  
fire. Dan's plowing. Ben took Patten  
place at the plow. Patten out at  
Uncle Silas's helping Ralph. Uncle



St Clayton's at the old Home April 19/10.

Silas and Uncle Hugh here at the Sheep Shearing. Edith and Clara and Ethel Ensign - I have 18 head set. This afternoon Mr. W. and I on a little trip to town. Uncle Hugh and Silas here for supper. Clayton and Clara and Edith at the Opera House to hear Prof King - Ethel rode down home with them. Patten did not get back in time to go.

19<sup>th</sup> April, Saturday

Edith took me down to the train. Uncle Joe stayed with me till the train pulled out it was half an hour late. Mr. Turner was on train and chatted with me to Columbus. Miss Brown met the train and went with me to the hospital - It has been over two weeks since I saw Paul - I could see several little things in his favor - A little change for the better. The men here and began putting up a tent for Paul

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in the Hospital Lane - The arrangement  
 were made by Mrs Hunt & Sister Patterson  
 that I should make my home in  
 the hospital to be near Paul. I took  
 my dinner in his room. I went  
 to "No 1" and had a good sleep this  
 afternoon. After supper dear Sister  
 Patterson and I called to see dear  
 Sister Dost - at her beautiful home -  
 Later Miss Galsbury and Miss Balderson  
 called - and we had music - Miss Gal-  
 sbury is an expert. When we came  
 back I was with Paul a little while  
 I occupied the room next to Mrs  
 Patterson. Still at Columbus -

10<sup>th</sup> of April Sabbath - A beautiful day  
 indeed - I awakened up rested and  
 was served to a nice breakfast -  
 I then went to Paul and stayed till  
 Fred came and he remained with Paul  
 while Miss Galsbury & I went to the  
 H. P. Church on Neil Ave - Heard a



St Clayton at the old Home April 1910.

Sermon from their Pastor Rev  
King - On the sin and death of self.  
Fred sent a letter and a dispatch to  
Clara yesterday to be here to day. She  
expected to have come last night  
but by some mismanagement did  
not get here until this morning.  
She went with Miss Brown to dinner  
and Fred and I took dinner with  
the Dr & Mrs Hunt. They were there  
alone. We had a nice quiet Sabbath  
When we went back to the hospital  
Clara was there with Paul. Fred and  
Clara went out to supper. I took  
supper here in Paul's dept. I was  
nicely waited on. Fred took the  
sleeper and will awaken up in  
Chicago. Clara with Miss Brown and  
will go home early in the morning.

11<sup>th</sup> April Monday I am still  
here in Columbus - Slept in Mrs

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Pattersons dept last night again -  
 while she and all the nurses  
 fixed up beds and slept in  
 Pauls tent - about nine o'clock  
 Dr Hunt and Co. carried him  
 out to his tent - thanks to Fred  
 for it - for it is a most complete  
 thing - have an Electric bell  
 & light - and a fine wall  
 extending to the hospital  
 proper - At noon Harlan  
 came across from Springfield  
 to see Paul and spent the afternoon  
 with him. We left at five o'clock  
 for Home - we met Mr. Turner  
 on train. Uncle Joe and Aunt Mary  
 there to see us. Mr. Wm. and Edith  
 then in the carriage for us - When  
 we came home Clara and Isabel  
 and Jeanette here to receive us.



At Clapton at the R. Home April 1910.  
 Charlie Bascom here - he is out  
 this evening Patter and Ben  
 on the program. Harlan and others  
 for supper after we came from  
 the train.

12" April. Tuesday. We  
 had a nice day here with Harlan  
 and Isabel and Jeanette. Every  
 thing passed off lovely. This  
 evening Patter took them to the  
 train they went back to Springfield.

Patter leaving. Ben & Davis plowing  
 Clapton & Charlie getting boys ready  
 for pasture. Uncle Hugh here and  
 worked on sheep a little while.  
 Charlie out for dinner and still  
 absent this evening.

13" April. Wednesday. A  
 bright day but chilly last night and  
 today - Patter went to Clapton. Ben  
 and Davis plowing Charlie burning  
 stalks - Clapton and Uncle Hugh with



the Sheep he was here to dinner and  
 at work this P.M. This P.M. E. & L. at  
 at the embroidery club and Mr. &  
 W. & L. - Mr. & L. around - Clara  
 and I here. This P.M. late Clayton  
 at Kerr and Hastings on an errand.  
 14<sup>th</sup> April Thursday. Quite  
 a beautiful day - much warmer.

Mr. & L. and I took Charlie to the train  
 this morning he went off to Columbus  
 to visit Paul - Mr. & L. at the barber shop.  
 Potter returned last night and is shearing  
 to day. Ben & David's flowing - Clayton  
 busy. Clara and E. & L. busy cooking  
 and preparing to leave on tomorrow.

This afternoon Mr. Mac and Sat. town  
 he called at Aunt Matt's. and attended  
 to some business - Charlie came  
 in on that down train - and telephoned  
 out just now - He <sup>will</sup> come out later  
 with Stuart Arthur. Everyone busy  
 to day.

15<sup>th</sup> April Friday. This



St Clayton's at the Old Home. April 19/10  
 is another nice day. Clara and  
 Edith left this A.M. - for an Institute  
 meeting at the Y. Springs. They had  
 a nice dinner - A free dinner served  
 to all - They were home to an after  
 supper - They had a pleasant day.  
 Potter shearing sheep to day. Ben  
 and David plowing - Clayton and  
 Charlie Bury - Mr. Mc - up and down  
 and around all day. This evening  
 Charlie over at Clifton.

16<sup>th</sup> April Saturday -  
 A shower this morning - and then a little  
 a little more & then all day. Ben went  
 home this morning. David plowing  
 in ~~the~~ field by the house - Potter at  
 the shearing Clayton and Charlie Bury.  
 This afternoon Father and Clayton  
 at Xenia to see LeSourd - He came  
 home very happy. He met so many  
 he knew among the members Mr. S. D. Gray

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who gave special attention to him.  
They reached home at dark. A few  
minutes after they arrived it began

Blowing and raining - Charlie  
and Edith and Clara got started  
to town to call on Jennie Horton. But  
concluded it best to come back  
and keep in the shelter.

I have 25 hens set in all - I have  
taken of 25 little chicks already.  
This P.M. - Miss Lulu Henderson called.  
Charlie B. made himself famous in  
my estimation by cutting a gateway  
and putting up a gate for my convenience  
at the bottom of the old garden.

W. April Sabbath. A nice  
day. Fred came in from Chicago on sleeper  
and stopped off here - and went up to  
church with Uncle Joe. Father and Clara  
and Charlie and I there. - Edith and  
Clayton at home with father. Rev. Sanford  
Subel. Litching. Clayton and Edith  
at home with father. Edith had a nice  
dinner awaiting us. Aunt Mary was



At the Old Home at Clayton April 1910.  
 invited to the opening of the Sabbath  
 School on the side - Plenderon  
 and Sister are the Leaders. I have had  
 my day and had to give place. Aunt  
 Mary taught the Bible class. Charlie  
 was called away - and Patter opened  
 the house and gave the bell. Aunt  
 Mary and Fred with us to night.

18<sup>th</sup> April Monday. Charlie  
 took Fred and Clara to the early train  
 to go to Columbus. Aunt Mary went  
 down home at the same time.  
 We have had showers off and on  
 all day - and this afternoon the snow  
 fell thick and fast and it got  
 quite cold. Clayton told  
 Charlie Baslin to the three o'clock  
 train in Charleston - to go back  
 to his school in Ann Arbor. When  
 Clayton came home he said he  
 felt the cold more than any day  
 this winter. Ben finished field

by the horse.  
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by the horse - and plowed the garden this  
 Pater going on with his shearing  
 Davis plowing, Charlie at Ryles and  
 got two signals to send with the folks  
 to Paul. Edith busy. Mr. Mc in the  
 house most of the day.

A telephone message from Paul reports  
 Paul very much better in many respects  
 and it does seem like life from the  
 dead. 19<sup>th</sup> April. Tuesday. Quite a cold dis-  
 agreeable day - snowing a little and raining  
 we had quite a rain last night. Edith  
 and father started to the train for Clara  
 and to take the clothes - they got a  
 message from Columbus she would  
 not be here until this evening.  
 They made but a short stay in town.  
 I have not been feeling well these  
 days almost on the sick list. Pater  
 & Ben trying to plow - Davis plowing  
 Clover seed - Clayton at town on an



St Clayton I at the old home April 1910.  
 errand and to the train for Clara -  
 she brings a fine report from Paul - it  
 almost seems like life from the dead -

20<sup>th</sup> April Wed. Quite  
 a disagreeable day - raining a good  
 deal of the time. Patter shearing all  
 day. This afternoon Ralph here clipping  
 the horse for Edith and Clara busy.  
 I still have my cold - Mr McAsmond  
 all day. Ralph here to supper. It is  
 damp and dark this evening.

21<sup>st</sup> April Thursday. This  
 has been a nice day - Clayton and Ben  
 moving fence. Davis plowing. Patter  
 at the sheep shearing part of the time.  
 This afternoon he was assisting Ralph  
 with his clipping. Edith and Clara at  
 town they called to see Jennie Turner &  
 Co - and around. Clara took supper at  
 Aunt Bells - and went off on the seven  
 o'clock train to Columbus - to visit



Paul, Edith came home in time for supper  
the road covered with gipsy campers  
along the creek - Ralph did not remain  
for supper. Mr. Mc walked off to Dr. Thompson and

22<sup>nd</sup> April. Friday - Rather a nice  
day Clayton & Co out sowing clover seed  
at a very early hour when the ~~wind~~ wind  
was quiet. Davis & Ben in the  
lower field plowing. Patter shearing.  
Mr. Mc around as usual. I am  
still sick with my cold - Ache  
thigh here to supper and took two  
big loaves home - It is raining a little  
and blowing. A telegram from Fred  
he will be in Columbus with Paul  
Sabbath. Edith called at Dr. Thompson this  
afternoon. Mr. McKenzie called up  
from Columbus today. He came  
in this morning and leaves  
for Kent York to night -



At Clayton at the old home April 19/10.

23 April. Quite a cool day after the wind and shower last night. Davis plowed all day. Ben went to work until noon and Patter until the evening. Clayton busy here and there all day. Uncle Hugh called this P. M. Edith busy getting ready for Sabbath. Mrs. Mac around all day. This evening Patter at town on an errand. ~~Uncle Joe~~ at Columbus to see Paul.

24 April Sabbath.

Pleasant but cool. Patter, Edith and Clayton at Church. Patter took dinner at Aunt Mary's Club and took her to Xenia to the Base ball game quite a number there to take action and work for Sunday closings. Many say it can not be done but

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Christ came to destroy the works of the devil and Christ will never be engendered by Satan.

In Father's absence Clayton and Edeth helped what they could at the Sabbath School. Uncle Joe came out with Clayton and Edeth from Church - was here to dinner and to lunch. Clayton took him down home - just as the Church bells were ~~singing~~ ringing this morning our dear brother J. W. Pallen passed away. He had not been sick only complaining yesterday - but now he has gone home.

25 April. Monday. Stormy most of the day. Ben & Patten and J. Marcus Buchanan a Ben. law to Davis began work this morning he and Davis plowing in the lower field. He will break with us.



St Clayton's at the old Home. April 19/10.  
 Clayton bus all day long. This after-  
 noon I took father to the Barber Shop  
 and Mr Mc stopped at Aunt Matt's  
 while I made a little call at Aunt  
 Mary's. Later Edith at town and  
 took supper at Aunt Mary's and went  
 to the train for Clara Isabel and Jeanette  
 over at ~~Coleraine~~ to day to see Paul  
 and came down with Clara this evening

Our supper all over when they came they  
 were waited on later. I took quite  
 an attack of Rheumatism in my ankle  
 it was severe while it lasted. We  
 got word this evening that Annie  
 was married. She had promised to  
 work for us this summer.

26<sup>th</sup> April. Tuesday  
 Drizzling rain now and then  
 and it is cold. Davis & Co plowing  
 Patter Shearing Clayton & Ben

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busy. Isabel sewing - Edith and Clara in the kitchen - I am taking care of the little chicken and resting W<sup>m</sup> W<sup>m</sup> around all day. Jennette busy from morning to night - she seems as happy as the birds. Patter at town in the dark on an errand.

24<sup>th</sup> April. Wed. A few rays of sunshine - but clouds and chill held unbroken sway. Marion and David plowing. Patter shearing fast of the of the time. Ben cutting potatoes. Isabel & Jennette around Isabel helped me all evening while Clara and Edith were away. They attended Mr Pollock's funeral at the church - afterwards got into trouble with Judge Rickard. Uncle Silas came to their rescue - they remained in town until Clayton brought old Ben and the carriage - they took supper



St Clayton's at the Old Home April 1910  
at Aunt Mary K's - Miss Brown came  
on the Seven O'clock train from  
Columbus and came out with  
them. Father up and down all day.

Mr and Mrs Edd Jones called to see  
Edith and Co this P.M. saying she was  
away.

28<sup>th</sup> April Thursday. Rather a  
pleasant day. David & Marion B  
flowering. Ben working in the  
garden. Father shearing sheep -  
Miss Brown pulling in her time  
Jeanette & Clayton and  
Edith at Bryson's Dale - Clara and  
Isabel looking after things here -  
This afternoon Clara and Miss Brown  
and Isabel and Jeanette at town  
among the kins-folks - Father went  
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29<sup>th</sup> April Friday - Sun shined  
a little - Davis & his bro Marion finishing  
plowing in lower field. Clayton at  
Kyles for signals for Paul. Clara and  
Isabel & Jennette and father took Miss  
B - to the train - She went back to  
Columbus this morning after  
leaving us in good shape - Ben  
planting potatoes Patter shearing  
Clayton busy. This afternoon father  
and I at mill - Isabel & Co and  
this evening Edith & Clayton  
and Patter and Isabel and Clara  
at the Opera House at a College Play  
I am looking after Jennette and  
Mr Mc - Ben and Marion here.  
It is now late the folks just getting  
home.



At Clayton at the Old Home April 1910.  
 30<sup>th</sup> April. Saturday. Quite a  
 change in the weather. Much  
 warmer - Sunshine.

Patter finished shearing - Mr. Brook  
 called his son - and Mr. Jordan  
 later - Mr. P. here to dinner -  
 David & Marion Howine -  
 Ben worked in the garden  
 until noon - off duty this P.M.  
 This afternoon Edith and Clara  
 and Isabel & Jeanette and Mr.  
 Mc at town - for a brief stay -  
 Clayton on the go all day.

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1<sup>st</sup> May Sabbath. Rain last night and  
 quite a shower this P.M. -

Patter so tired he did not go to church  
 Clayton and Edith and Clara and  
 Jeanette here. Isabel and Q



here with father. I did not feel well enough to go - Isabel had a nice dinner awaiting them when they got back. This afternoon Patten up at the Sabbath School. Henderson had Roy Allen out to give the talk. I Miss Shannon there and played the organ - a dark cloudy evening

2<sup>nd</sup> May Monday. Pleasant after the rain - Ben absent - Davis and Marion harrowing & Patten busy and Clayton. Mr Hammond called this morning. Isabel and Jeanette here - She has been sewing & she made one a present of light green apron - Clara and Edith busy. This evening Clayton and Edith at town.

Mr Mc around all day.

3<sup>rd</sup> May. Tuesday. A heavy rain last night - Everything at a



At Clayton at the old home. May 1910.

Stand Still. Marion hauled out  
Timothy seed out of the barn this  
P.M. Clayton put in a full day at  
Uncle Hughes - and the farm & put in  
a full day without him here - This  
afternoon Father took father to town  
to the barber shop &c. Isabel and Jeanette  
and Edith and Clara on the program  
all day. The chickens are my work =

4<sup>th</sup> Mary Wed. A nice day  
but cool = Clayton bus. Father out at  
Uncle Hughes helping and brought a hog  
home. Isabel and Jeanette and Clara  
and Edith around. Father out and  
in all day. Davis & Marion at Arthur  
at the barn raising this afternoon =  
This Evening Clayton & Edith took  
Isabel & Jeanette and Clara to the train  
one going to Springfield - the other  
to Columbus.



5<sup>th</sup> May. Cool-Davis and Marion  
 harrowed. Patter at Arthur's until after  
 dinner helping finish the barn  
 raising. Clayton busy all day. When  
 here this morning introducing some  
 kind of steel remedial. Fred. Files  
 here most of the P.M. looking  
 over the bees. This afternoon Mr. Mc  
 and I at town. I was busy all forenoon  
 with the chickens. I have 190—

6<sup>th</sup> May. Quite a bright day.  
 Davis and Marion & Patter also busy and  
 Clayton. They began planting corn  
 this P.M. This afternoon Clayton and  
 Edith and I at Mrs Mary Dallas Ramsey's  
 funeral at our church. Service conducted  
 by Rev McChesney and Rev John Kendall.  
 Father stayed at Aunt Jennett's when  
 we came along he rode with Clayton  
 and me and Aunt Matt to the Cemetery.  
 Edith called at Mrs Pollocks & others  
 when we came back from the Cemetery.  
 Edith went with me to Aunt Bell's  
 to call, Homer is coming tonight.



St Clayton & I at the old Home May 1910  
to Columbus to see Paul - but  
can not come down as he had to go  
back tomorrow.

7th May, Saturday. Quite  
a change in the weather - On Sunshine  
gone - Cool & Cloudy. Davis Planted. Can  
lentils awhile after dinner when the  
rain came on. Marion off duty & day -  
Patter around with Clayton at the  
work. Edith busy. I have been busy  
with the chickens - Patter off and  
around most of the day. This Evening  
Patter at town on an errand.

It is certainly a bad disagreeable Evening  
8th May Sabbath. Rather  
a nice day after the rain. Patter at home

Clayton and Edith and I at church.  
Mr & Mrs went with us and stayed at  
Aunt Jennie's. Rev Taylor has been  
at Chicago the past week at the Laymen's  
Convention - He gave us a live picture

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our school house - he had quite a  
house full. All of our folks there  
but Mr Mc, and me.

9<sup>th</sup> May Monday ~~this~~

Jim Clapton at C. and brought Rev.  
Shroder out - he was here on repairs  
and here to dinner. This afternoon

Potter took him home and took  
the clothes. A telegram from Homer  
he was at Columbus - he will be  
down this evening or later Clapton  
met him at the train. Fred & Clara  
are in Columbus - they are planning  
to take Paul South's car to go up  
with ~~Homer~~ in the morning to see  
Linn. Sam too nervous to night  
to sleep. Davis began planting late  
this P.M. and finished the field by the  
house.

10<sup>th</sup> May Tuesday. Quite a



At home at Clayton May 1910.

A nice day. This morning  
Pater and father took Homer and me  
to the train. Clara came down  
and went out with them.

Had met up at the train in  
Columbus and went out with  
Homer and me to the hospital.  
Paul still in his tent - he is still  
making a little progress. This  
evening Dr. Hunt and <sup>Homer</sup> ~~Paul~~ left  
for Ashville N.C. - to look up quarters  
for Paul. Homer and I had dinner  
at Dr. Hunt's. I had dinner at the  
hospital. This evening Miss Brown  
went with me to the station and  
we met I had there - he came  
down home with me. Clayton  
and father met us at the train.  
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of taking Col. Marion Can back last night.

While I was away father and Edith took care of the chickens. At noon Clayton called at Robison's and brought Guey Weekly out and she commenced work. Clara packing and getting ready to go with Paul when the call came. She and Edith have had a busy day.

11<sup>th</sup> May Wed. Clayton took Fred and Clara to the train. They go back to Columbus. Clara will remain with Paul until they start for Asheville. Fred would leave at eleven O'clock for Boston. He wants to be back to go with Paul & co.

Edith on the sick list and is imbed to day. They Weekly at the work. Patten and Marion on the program. We have had one damp day. Began raining in the night. Ralph left here this P.M. here for supper and took Dix' birds home a donation.



St Clayton at the old Home. May 1910 -

12<sup>th</sup> May Thurs. A nice day - but too damp to plant. This morning Mr Mc and I took Clayton and Edith to the train they went off to see Paul and spent the day with him - Isabel came of yesterday and went home this evening they recd. a telegram from Dr Hunt and Homer they have arranged for them to start to Ashville tomorrow with Paul. Lucy is at her work - Patten busy in yard. This evening Mason went to the train for Clayton & Edith. I have been busy with the chickens - we have 220 - quite a little flock.

13<sup>th</sup> May, Friday. What a day this has been in my life. This morning Mr Mc and Edith took me to the train - I went off to see Paul once more when I reached the edge of Paleyburn there was a broken freight on the track. Our train came to a stand still finally

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 routes - I went to Union Station and  
 from there to hospital - Clara had  
 gone to Station but missed me. Was  
 glad to get to see Paul once more. Dr  
 Hunt and Homer returned from Ash-  
 ville at noon having completed arrange-  
 ments for Paul. Clara took dinner with  
 Miss Brown. I eat at the Hospital.  
 Homer came to the hospital this P.M.  
 Near four the ambulance and men  
 called for Paul. Miss Brown and I rode  
 with him to the Station - Dr & Mrs Hunt  
 and Homer and Clara there - At four  
 He told our dear Paul good by and  
 the men carried him to the Statg.  
 Room prepared for him - and Dr H -  
 and Homer and Miss B - and Clara  
 left with him for Ashville N.C. Paul  
 was anxious to go - he feels con-  
 fident he is going to be better.



St Home at Clayton May 1910.

We know he needs a change - for this climate this Spring is enough to make well folks die. Mrs Hunt visited with me until my train came in. I met Mary Lawrence and a dozen women from here & there along the line who were visiting Mrs Oland in London today. Aunt Matt came out with father and Edith and went back when they went to the train for me -

And did not get back from Boston as he expected to go with Paul.

14<sup>th</sup> May. Saturday It is nineteen years this morning since Fannie was married - and yet the world moves on. Davis and Marion at the corn planting. Patten with Clayton

They busy all day in the kitchen - Edith around. Clayton at town this A.M. - father went with him and to our joy they met Ben Ervin in town

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He will be out soon. I have had a  
lonely day. My thoughts have been  
on the one at Asheville. This evening  
Marion took Lucy Weekly home.  
This has been a pleasant day.

15<sup>th</sup> May Sabbath. A nice  
day - Marion away all day. Patter  
here as Clayton and Edith and Sal  
church. Prof J. R. Dill spoke on  
National Reform. The old ladies  
at our church today. Union Service.  
Rev Ramsey & daughter and Nellie  
Anderson and daughter there.

This afternoon Patter and Clayton  
at the School house at the Sabbath  
School - they had a good meeting.

This evening Clayton and Edith  
at the Opera House Rev Taylor preached  
the Baccalaureate Sermon before the  
Class of the High School. Lucy  
came home with them.

16<sup>th</sup> May Monday. A cloudy  
day. Ben came back last night and



St Clayton & at the old Home May 1910.  
 has been busy to day, Davis and  
 Marion and Patten getting ready to plant  
 corn in the lower fields. Lucy busy  
 in the kitchen. Edith making curtains  
 We were around in the buggy with  
 Clayton this afternoon. Fred Hughes  
 around while. This afternoon Patten  
 and I on a flying visit to town.  
 Cool and cloudy this evening.

17<sup>th</sup> May Sunday. The  
 men were stopped in their planting  
 by a rain this M. and it has kept  
 off almost constantly all day. Clayton  
 and Edith called off Isabel and made  
 arrangements for a visit in  
 Springfield - and made three attempts  
 to start - but finally were driven  
 back by a shower and gave it  
 up. This afternoon Peter and Marion  
 and Clayton at the Primary election.  
 Ben looking after the chickens.

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for us. Lucy busy washing Curtains  
and cleaning the kitchen. Edith  
busy. Mr. Mc nervous as usual.

Another letter from Clara - They  
reached Ashville safely and nice  
quarters awaiting Paul - he showed  
the trip better than they expected.

We had a letter from Homer - Ruthie  
and the baby have the measles -  
They are expecting Mrs Hunt -

18<sup>th</sup> May Wed. It cleared  
off yesterday evening and has kept clear  
to day. Patten, Dan & Marion at the  
corn planting. Ben cutting potatoes  
Clayton around. This P. M. - he and Edith  
took a hasty trip to Co. Mc around  
all day. Lucy busy. This is a  
pleasant evening. Letter from  
Clara - they are expecting Homer  
the last of this week at their quarters  
at Ashville N. C.

19<sup>th</sup> May Thursday. A nice



At Clayton's at the old home May 1910 -  
 day - Potter and David and Marion  
 at the Corn planting. Ben around.  
 Moorman and Sam of Jowlesby here  
 this morning. Mr. Mc and Mrs.  
 made a hasty trip to town. This  
 afternoon Clayton and Edith at  
 Xenia to meet Helen Rankin -  
 Lucy busy all day long getting  
 ready for the Company tomorrow.

20<sup>th</sup> May Friday. Quite  
 a rain this morning. Work suspended  
 Marion absent. We had Rev S. M. Ramsey  
 and daughter Martha and Mrs. Nettie  
 Anderson and daughter Gertrude and  
 Mr. & Mrs. Dan Dallas and daughter Lizzie  
 here to dinner. I was especially glad  
 that Mr. Mc enjoyed it as much  
 as he did - We had a nice dinner  
 and a delightful time.

At eleven to bed morning the  
 rain stopped. We had a nice afternoon  
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 recd. letter from Clara - news a little  
 more favorable - Ralph here for supper -

21<sup>st</sup> May. Saturday. 100

damp for work - Near noon Mr  
 H<sup>c</sup> went with Clayton & Mrs. Hughes  
 They met Mr. Brown there - all there  
 for dinner. This afternoon Mr. Brown  
 here to look at Stock. Patten at the

Y. Springs this afternoon. Ben Gray  
 in the yard and here to night - Marion  
 around he took Lucy home this  
 evening. Late this afternoon Clayton  
 and Edith at town - they took  
 supper with Aunt Mary K<sup>ee</sup>. As they  
 came home they saw the long looked  
 for comet.

22<sup>nd</sup> May Sabbath. Rather  
 a pleasant day. Edith and Clayton and  
 at church. Rev. Taylor at Cincinnati  
 at the meeting of our Synod - Dr. Joseph  
 Kyle in our pulpit. text "Let us run"



St Clayton at the Old Home - May 1910.  
with Patience the race that is set  
before us - looking unto Jesus &c

Rev Ramsey in the Audience and  
made the closing prayer - he is cer-  
tainly a beautiful Christian. Mr Mc  
Stayed with Aunt Jeannette. Broin  
at town and home again this Evening  
Marion here all day. This afternoon  
Patter and Clayton and Edith at  
the School house Prof Allen heard  
the Bible Class - Young Mr. Morgan  
at the Organ & Singing - quite  
a number there. This Evening Patter  
at Church and brought Lucy out. Patter  
saw the Count as he came home.

23<sup>rd</sup> May. Monday. A damp  
cloudy day - Work still at stand still  
since the pouring rain Friday night.  
Patter at mill this morning - and  
at Strillings for the children's ration S.  
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fence. Lucy busy & so was Edith & Irvin put in a full day with the lawn mower Ralph put it in fine shape Saturday. Letter from Clara and Homer - Homer arrived at Ashville on Friday - away Sabbath and will be back there today. They have changed Drs - and have settled now on Dr. Battle.

24<sup>th</sup> Mary Tues. Another damp day - sprinkling rain - Marion left for Pitt. Co. - Concluded to take advantage of the wet weather. Work at a stand still. This afternoon Peter took father to town to have a visit with the Sisters. Edith busy Lucy at her work - This evening Clayton and Edith called at Uncle Silas's.

25<sup>th</sup> Mary Wed. Rather a gloomy day - but the rain kept off all day. Clayton & Davis and Peter building wire fence. Ben began white washing. We set out tomato plants this evening. Edith and Clayton expected



At Clayton at the old Home May 1910.  
 to have gone to Springfield but were  
 prevented by Frank Townsend calling  
 to see J. at Cattle. Uncle Hugh here this  
 afternoon. This Evening Clayton  
 and Edith at town brought a letter  
 from Ashville - Clara writes that Paul's temper-  
 ture is normal and that he is gaining  
 ground fast - He wants all his magazines &  
 and papers sent on to him.

26 " Mary Ann J. Bright

Sunshine this morning - Bright & Clara.

After our joyful news from Ashville  
 yesterday evening - 9 the train came  
 from Atlanta from Homer he had  
 rec'd a long distance telephone message  
 from Ashville - and he sent its contents  
 to us - as follows - "Paul is dying" - Homer  
 left for Ashville last night at mid-  
 night - Uncle Silas and Aunt Mallie and  
 Aunt Mary brought the message to us this morning  
 and made a little call. Clayton and Edith

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had to go to Springfield for father and we  
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 Taylor and Mrs Taylor called to direct  
 us to the right place to help us bear  
 our burden. They were not gone long  
 when a telegram came from Homer  
 saying they would be here at 10.30 in  
 the morning - Mr Taylor said he prayed  
 for Paul every day and at the prayer  
 meeting they remembered him. I had  
 many prayers I have gone up that  
 he might be well - but now we  
 know they have been answered in  
 a higher and better way than we are  
 able to understand until it is revealed  
 to us in the light of eternity. And while  
 our hearts are breaking may we be  
 helped to say O God thy will be done  
 for there is not any happiness aside  
 or away from him.

Eva Arthur called this P. M. Pater and  
 Mrs Mc at home.



At Clapton at the old home May 1910.  
 2<sup>nd</sup> May Friday. Bright Sunshine  
 but Cool. Mr. Henry Kyle called. Also  
 Mr. H. H. MacCallan and daughter Ellen.  
 He gave us talk and had prayer.  
 Every one was here this morning  
 Gordon Silas and ~~Stewart~~ Arthur  
 at the train and brought Homer and  
 Clara and Miss Brown from the 10.50  
 train. The Undertaker J. H. McE. came with  
 his horse to bring all that remains  
 of our dear son Paul C. E. Aunt Mary  
 and Aunt Belle and Uncle Hugh  
 and Uncle Joe and Stuart and Eva ~~Stewart~~  
 were all here and most of these gave  
 dinner. <sup>and Aunt Matt.</sup> just two weeks ago I rode on the  
 Paul in the ambulance when leaving  
 for ~~Asheville~~ - but what a short  
 stay he had - for he had all his  
 plans for living ~~when~~ when death came  
 suddenly to him and he was gone. He  
 died Wednesday evening the 25<sup>th</sup> of May at



Five minutes of twelve O'clock, Clara  
 and Miss Brown called Homer up  
 by long distance telephone - that  
 Paul was dying Homer received and  
 answered the ~~late phone~~ while  
 Paul was still there - They left Ish-  
 ville yesterday afternoon and reached  
 here on the eleven O'clock train this M.  
 Sallie & called this afternoon. Eva  
 Arthur has been here to day helping.  
 Patter at G - this afternoon at Walter's  
 Shop - Later Homer took Aunt Martha home  
 and went to the 7 O'clock train and  
 brought Fred - Harlan and Isabel  
 and Jeannette out - They were here  
 to supper and with us to night - When they  
 brought Paul in and looked at him  
 so calmly and peacefully sleeping I  
 felt that my life would never be  
 the same that there was something gone  
 out of my life that could never be the



St Clayton at the old home. May 1910  
 Same again. But can we not also  
 hope that there will be blessed influences  
 left here that will help us that while  
 we being dead will yet speak to us  
 and be an inspiration to us.

28 May Saturday Fred and Horan and Home  
 took father to town he stopped at Aunt  
 Matt's and Uncle Joe took father's seat and  
 rode with them to the Cemetery.

Father at town for breakfast - got off the  
 eleven o'clock train - the express stopped  
 for him. He rode out in the carriage  
 and Fred rode out with father all back  
 in time for dinner. ~~At~~ This P.M.

Uncle Hugh and Aunt Margaret and Mabel  
 and Howard and Aunt Mary K. and Aunt  
 Mattie and Ina and Jennie and her little  
 Boy and Mrs Bunnardner and Uncle Joe  
 and Jim H. H. called. Uncle Joe here  
 to supper - and went to town with father  
 and Lucy. Later Lucy came back with him

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Telephone from Charlie Baskin from  
the Springs he started to walk and Homer  
and Harlan went to meet him. Ralph  
brought Aunt Mary out they made  
a little call. Aunt Mary led in worship  
and read the story of the death of  
Lazarus. To day some one asked Fannie  
what about Donald this fall - she said  
he would be going to College - for a moment  
my heart saddened when I thought that  
the poor ambitious Paul would be left  
out - then the thought came - no he will  
not for he will be in the 'University of  
Heaven'.

29 May. Sabbath. A nice morning  
Sadie Stuart and Charlie called. Patten  
at Church. Aunt Mary and Aunt Matt came  
up with him. Fannie Fred Harlan & Isaac  
and Jeanette and Homer & Clara and  
Charlie Baskin <sup>Miss Brown</sup> all with us. This afternoon  
Patten and Charlie and Aunt Mary and  
Jeanette at the Sabbath School. Aunt  
Mary taught the class. Bro Taylor here



St Clayton & at the Old Home May 1910.

and read the 8<sup>th</sup> Chapter of Romans  
and had Prayer Huckle Joe. Y. S. H. A. C.  
here - at the close of the exercises  
Huckle Ervin and Mary and Fern called -  
Jes Walter and Ralph were with us.  
Later Emma and Blanch and Beabel  
called. We had a pouring rain with  
quite a little hail. Jason and Charlie  
took Huckle Joe home and came back  
in a short time.

30<sup>th</sup> May, Monday. A nice  
day. This was the day of our dear Paul's  
funeral at 10.30. Harlan at town this  
morning and brought some of the  
folks out. The funeral in a manner  
private - only for the relatives and  
neighbors - we had all the room full.  
The service conducted by our Pastor  
Rev Taylor - and Dr. McChesney and Rev  
Pitt and Rev Geo Ramsey. Rev Taylor's  
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 our lives — Anna Hardwell and Cora  
 Arthur here and stayed and helped Lucy  
 with the dinner. Father and Fred and I  
 Fannie and Clara rode together to  
 the ~~funeral~~ Clapton and all the rest  
 went with a great number of the  
 friends to the Cemetery. When we saw  
 Pauls body lowered in the grave our  
 only comfort was that it was not Paul  
 we were leaving there — that Paul the  
 real Paul was safe in his fathers  
 house happy forever more.  
 All of our folks and Aunt Belle and  
 Isabels mother & Cora — & Anna here to  
 dinner. Margaret Stuart and Charlie  
 at the funeral. Mrs Smith, Isabels  
 Mother, came from Springfield on



St Claytons at the old Home May. 1810  
 the train and went back this evening  
 I did not record that Aunt Jennette  
 and Aunt Matt and Aunt Mary  
 were here to dinner too and Hester  
 and Charlie took them down this  
 evening. Late this P.M. - Uncle Elias  
 and Aunt Mollie called and Ben  
 went home with them. He rec'd a  
 most lovely box of Rased American  
 bearties from Mrs Shantz and daughter  
 also a wreath from the College boys  
 and girls - and from the Methodist  
 brotherhood - and from the Cousins  
 "All for Paul" - Miss Brown came with  
 the folks from Ashville and went back to  
 Columbus this evening - She came  
 here the 18<sup>th</sup> of last August and has been with  
 us ever since - ~~or~~ rather she was with Paul  
 ever since - When she went back to Columbus  
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 felt that our connection with Columbus  
 and Dr Hunt's hospital was severed - all

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 This was "Decoration Day" the  
 graves were decorated early this  
 A.M. -

31<sup>st</sup> May. Tuesday. Cloudy  
 and Chilly. This afternoon a shower.  
 Charlie at town this morning and  
 brought Aunt Matt and Aunt Mary K.  
 out to dinner. This afternoon Homer  
 took Aunt Mary K. home. This P.M.  
 Dr. Hunt came on the fast train.  
 to C. - and he came out with Homer  
 and was here to supper along with  
 Fred, Fannie Harlan & Isabel and Jeanette  
 and Homer Clara and Aunt Matt and  
 the rest of us home folks - This evening  
 Homer and Harlan took Dr. Hunt  
 and Fred to the train Fred went off  
 to Columbus with him and will go  
 from there to Des Moines. Clayton and  
 Jason took Charlie Baskin to the  
 Springs - he starts back to Ann Arbor  
 to night. Isabel and Jeanette and Fannie with  
 us around the fire. Aunt Matt went when the folks  
 went.



At the Old Home at Clayton June 1900  
June.

1<sup>st</sup> June Wednesday. Rain last night to damp  
to go to the work this O. M. Davis and  
Marion replanting corn.

This afternoon Harlan and Isabel and  
Jeanette and Homer told us all good by.  
And Jason took them to the Springs.  
Homer will go back to Atlanta and  
Harlan to his work in Mason City. Isabel  
and Jeanette will remain in Springfield  
with her mother awhile. If Fannie and  
Jason were not here I would certainly feel  
lonely this evening. Clayton at town  
father went with him for a ride. This  
A. M. Patter & Jason there. They had finally  
do some work for them.

Patter at town to night and took Lucy to  
make a call. Clayton & father called at Smith's.  
2<sup>nd</sup> June Thursday. Broomy  
and almost cold.

Davis and Marion and Patter busy planting  
potatoes & corn. This afternoon Jason  
took father to town. They called at Uncle  
Silas's. This evening sprinkling rain.  
They busy with her work. Fannie

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and Clara around. Edith busy.

3<sup>rd</sup> June Friday. Gloomy and  
chillie - Winter clothes and fire  
both necessary. Jason arranged him-  
self for the occasion and went out  
with the men - they were rearing the  
planter in field next the house  
replanting corn. This afternoon Mr  
Mac and Jason out at Uncle Hughes  
on a brief call - Aunt Belle and  
Aunt Mary called. This evening Pater  
and Jason at the Opera House the  
township schools on exhibition to  
night - Mabel Murdock one of the performers.  
She is ready now for High School.  
Lucy busy as usual.

4<sup>th</sup> June. Sat. Gloomy. Clayton  
finished planting Corn this P.M. We were  
all invited out to Uncle ~~Philip~~ Murdock's today.  
Clayton and Edith and Pater and Jason and  
Father and I there - We were finely enter-  
tained. Mabel won the contest last night.  
Fannie and Clara at home with Lucy  
and Ben and Marion - It drizzled rain.



St Clayton & at the old home June 1910  
for an hour or two to day. Ben took  
Lucy home. Marion at town to night  
with his brother.

5<sup>th</sup> June Sabbath. A nice  
day - but Cloudy most of the time.  
This Morn. Peter and Clayton and Edith  
and I at church. In good time ~~past~~  
came in, and was seated with us.  
He took the sleeper in Chicago last  
night and awakened at here this  
morning. If he did not live on  
the train most of the time I would  
be very much opposed to it - but  
as it is he on the road any way.

Dr. McChesney gave us a description  
of the Sabbath School World Convention  
he attended at Washington D. C.  
Fred and Aunt Mary came home  
with us. Jason on sick list - with boils  
on his neck. Clara not feeling well  
She and Fannie at home - Dinner  
Awaiting us when we came.

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1910  
 Father up and down all day. This  
 afternoon Clayton and Edith and  
 Patter and Aunt Mary at the School  
 house. Rev Ross Hume preached.  
 This evening Clayton and Hattie  
 took Aunt Mary home and Fred  
 to the train. He will get the  
 Sleeper at Xenia and awaken  
 in Chicago in the morning.

They brought Lucy home with them.  
 6" June. Monday Another  
 cloudy day. A very little sprinkle  
 of rain - Marion and David's plow-  
 ing corn - Ben replanting. Patter  
 harrowing - Uncle Elmer around - he  
 was here to dinner and entertaining  
 Jase on. This afternoon Patter took  
 father to town. Lucy bus. Edith  
 Hattie and Clara embroidering.  
 Homer sent me two bottles of Cotton-  
 Seed oil - I began taking it this  
 evening.

7" June Tuesday. Bright



St Clayton's at the Old Home. June 19/10  
 Sunshine to day - but cool. Uncle  
 Hugh called this A.M. The men, Davis  
 and Marion plowing. Jason and Ben  
 replanting. Clayton helping this P.M.  
 Jason took father to Xenia. Patter  
 at town this P.M. Father and Jason  
 home in time for supper. Hattie  
 and Clara and Edith around. Lucy  
 nap. Hattie took Mr. W. to town this  
 forenoon home in time for dinner.  
 Clayton to Marion at town to night. 8 June Wed. Bright Sun.  
 Shine to day again and it brings joy  
 and hope to the world.

This A.M. Hattie took father to Clifton  
 they were up at the German Garden for plants  
 and came home past the old Dean  
 and Rife road and in past the school  
 house. they were back in time for  
 dinner. This afternoon Jason and Clayton  
 in the Huff Gen. Cart and Hattie at  
 town calling Aunt Matt and Mary R. out

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of town - Fannie spent her time with  
our Aunt Mary. Father took a drive  
to Blackbourns bridge and across to  
the back road home - All of the absent  
only home in time for supper.

Davis & Marion plowing. Ben and  
Father replanting. Fannie brought  
Pansys home - She and Edith planted  
them. Fannie felt that this flower was  
a favorite of Pauls. "qu" June 11th. This has  
been a dull cloudy day. Springing rain  
too wet to plow. Fannie and Jason with  
us. This afternoon Mrs. W. and Jason at  
town to see the folks. Aunt Mary at the  
flower mission - Aunt Belle and  
Uncle Erwin in Cincinnati looking after  
business - He only saw Aunt Fannies Matt.  
After supper Jason told us good by and  
Clayton took him to the train. That  
through train stopped for him. We were  
sorry to have him leave us. Quite a gloomy  
evening.



St Clayton at the Old Horn June 1910.

10<sup>th</sup> June Friday. Rained and drizzled all day long. Worked at a Stand & Ice on the farm. Mr Frank Jonsky called in the huge Clayton and Marion took in 2.0 head - they averaged 2 8 1/2 lbs at nine etc.

Clayton and took them to Carl in dragon. Pater planted water melon seed to day. This afternoon late Mr Charlie Stuart and sister Margaret came they were with us to supper we enjoyed their visit. They went home through the dain. Fannie and Clara and Edith on the program - Lucy Boy.

11<sup>th</sup> June Saturday.

Cloudy and damp - not much doing. Pater planting onion seed - Ben in the garden. This morning Fannie took father with her to the train to meet Isabel and Jeanette - They came around from Springfield.

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Lucy, Enos, Clara and Edith around  
 This afternoon Fannie took Mr. W.  
 with her to Selma to Key's garden  
 for plants. Patten at town this  
 afternoon - Isabel and Jeanette  
 with us. This evening Marion  
 took Lucy to town. Clayton took  
 Fannie down to Aunt Matt's.

It is just 9 years ago today since  
 Paul met us at Springfield - when  
 we returned from the South.  
 That was the last time he was  
 in Springfield - and I do not feel  
 like I care whether I am ever  
 there again - a brightness has gone  
 out of my life since Paul had  
 gone.

12<sup>th</sup> June. Sabbath. Bright  
 Sunshine today. Clayton and  
 Edith and I at the M. E. Church  
 Sermon by Rev Pott - they met at



At Clayton at the old home - June 1910  
 the Opera House - This church is under-  
 going repairs. Clara and Fannie and  
 Isabel and Jeannette at home - They  
 had dinner awaiting us when we  
 returned. We brought Aunt Mary home  
 with us. Father and Ben arrived  
 here today. Father at the School house  
 at the Sabbath School. This P.M. Father  
 was so restless Fannie and Clara and  
 Isabel & Jeannette took him across the  
 RR - around by Blackstone & bridge  
 home - Smith & Black and baby  
 Isabel stopped in a few minutes  
 to see how we were.

After lunch Clayton and Edith  
 took Aunt Mary down home -

13<sup>th</sup> June Monday. Another  
 day of Sunshine. David and Marion  
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come. This morning Clara and Fannie  
 and little Jeanette and father and I  
 drove out. Father stopped with Aunt  
 Matt when we reached town then Aunt  
 Mary took his seat and went with us to  
 the Cemetery Fannie wanted to see  
 Paul's grave before <sup>she</sup> went back.  
 While we know Paul is happy in his father's  
 house yet our hearts are sad because  
 he is gone. We reached home near  
 noon. We met Clayton in town he  
 went to Uncle Hughes - he was there to  
 dinner - he returned about four bring-  
 ing Lucy with him. This afternoon  
 I took father around by Hammock's  
 and past the School house home.

This evening Clara and Edith and  
 Isabel and Jeanette took Fannie to  
 the train - that through train stopped  
 for her - we were sorry to have her  
 go - but duty called and she had to go.  
 I took father up to the School



St Clayton's at the old home. June 19/18  
house walking. This is a pleasant  
evening.

14<sup>th</sup> June. Tuesday. Another  
day of Sunshine - Davis and Marion  
at the plowing. Patten and Ben<sup>re</sup> planting  
This A. M. Isabel and Jeanette took  
grandfather M. Williams & riding -

This afternoon Isabel and Jeanette  
and Edith and Mr. McE and I at  
town. Mr. McE called at the sister.

I stopped with Aunt Belle. Edith  
and Isabel called at Blanchet -  
Lucy here at the work. Clara around  
Clayton long as usual.

15<sup>th</sup> June. Wednesday. A  
bright day - getting warmer. Davis  
and Marion plowing - Clayton and Patten  
and Ben replanting. This afternoon  
Edith and little Jeanette and I and  
Mr. McE at Cedarville. Aunt Jeanette  
and Matt attending Harry Haddel and

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Jeanette Parbores wedded this Evening  
 This morning Clara and Isabel  
 drove to the Yellow Springs and went  
 over on the car to Springfield - they  
 reached home in good time.  
 Marion took Lucy down to town. Mr  
 H/c and Jeanette and I took a walk  
 to the School house.

16<sup>th</sup> June. Thurs. A nice  
 day. Marion and Davis plowing. Clayton  
 and Father Ben at the corn replanting.  
 This is the day of Woberforce Commencement.  
 Isabel and Jeanette and Clara and  
 Lucy Dwyer. This afternoon Edette  
 at meeting of the M. C. Y. M. C. - Dea Ben made  
 some demonstration in C- and broke  
 a shaft. Prof McChesney brought  
 her home - he was here to suffer  
 and Clayton took him home. Very  
 unexpectedly quite a shower fell.  
 it was quite an electric storm - some  
 very heavy shocks - Struck very close



St Cloyton at the old home. June 19/10.  
 to the field where David was at work.  
 17<sup>th</sup> June. Friday. Too damp  
 to flow. Patter and father took Clayton  
 to the train - he and Elmer Waddle went  
 to Columbus. This afternoon Mr Mc-  
 and Patter were at Delina at the Keys  
 garden. After supper Edith and Isabel  
 and father at the train for Clayton.  
 Father missed seeing Aunt Matt and  
 was very much disappointed he had not  
 gone earlier. Lucy ironing & today.  
 Mrs Henderson and daughter Lulu called.  
 this afternoon.

18<sup>th</sup> June. Sat. Quite a warm  
 day. David & Marion flowing - Ben  
 whitewashing. Patter replanting - Clayton  
 around. Clara and Isabel and Janette and  
 Edith and Mr Mc at C - he stopped at Aunt  
 Matts and the rest of the family drove  
 out to Miss Hollem & Mr Ramsey and  
 purchased a "bed". They were back  
 at noon. Lucy bus. The heavy barrels

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Mc and Isabel and Jeanette and Clara  
and I took a ride to town. Father and  
I called on Aunt Jeanette - Matt at  
Teacher's Meeting. Isabel & Clara at the office  
and while waiting Blanch & little Isabel and  
Mary took a ride with them.

19<sup>th</sup> June. Sabbath. Father and I  
at Church. Sermon by Rev S. M. Ramsey - text  
"Jesus rejoiced in Spirit". He explained  
verses of the 37 Psalm - When we reached home  
Clara and Isabel and Clayton and Edith  
were starting out to the Springs to see  
to hear Rev Dr. Wishart of the  
Kenia Seminary - I was sorry for them  
to miss Rev Ramsey's Sermon for  
it was especially good -

After dinner Mr Mc was so nervous that I  
took him around in the buggy by himself  
and came back home past the School  
House - we had little Jeanette with  
us and we stopped there at Rev Ross  
Hume preached there this afternoon -  
He had quite a nice little audience -



At Clayton & at the old Home June 1910.

This text I call to Abraham -

Mr. Mc got nervous and he and Jeanette came back home -

We had a shower this P. M. - and again this evening before the folks started home from the Spring. Lucy here looking after Jeanette Ben & Marion back this evening. The folks got back in due time.

20<sup>th</sup> June Monday. The men plowing Patter harrowing Ben busy Clayton at town this P. M. - took Mr. Mc along as they were home at noon. Isabel & Jeanette around Edith and Clara busy. This afternoon Clayton out at Heli Hughes for 9 sheep.

Patter took Lucy down this evening

21<sup>st</sup> June Tuesday. Quite a warm day. Clara took Isabel and Jeanette and Edith to the train. Isabel felt she must go to be ready to go to her



home in Mason City next week. Edith  
will come down to the Springs to  
the Chautauqua and meet our  
folks there. Father rode down to  
the train with Clayton when he went  
to express the sheep. Aunt Matt made  
a present of her white quilt to Clara  
this morning. This afternoon Clayton  
at town for a carriage - he and  
Clara and Patter at the Chautauqua  
this evening. Marion at town.  
he and David plowing & Ben White  
washing. I am lonely these days.  
It is only when I get away from  
Pater's grave and the surroundings  
that the thought of <sup>his</sup> being gone is  
bearable - Let us not think of him as  
dead - only gone before - and is waiting  
and watching for his dear ones to  
come.

Edith met the folks and they  
had a fine address  
and a beautiful evening for <sup>their</sup> meeting  
They walked on this morning



St Clayton at the old home June 19/10

22<sup>nd</sup> June. Wednesday yesterday was the longest day of the year.

Davis and Marion plowing. Ben at his work. Father took the Ramsey bed to Jeffries in Xenia for Isabel - He had a hot ride.

This afternoon Clayton and his men at Orr for alfalfa hay.

Mr Mc and I at town. Aunt Mary's men working on the veranda - Father there and at Aunt Bells and Aunt Matts with father. Late this evening father rode with Clayton to Jess Townsend's -

23<sup>rd</sup> June. Thursday, quite a warm day. The men plowing and putting away the Orr alfalfa - Father plowing rearing the third flow - Edith and Mr Mc at town on an errand -

Lucy got a summons to come home. She has a sick daughter - When Clara

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and Edith went to the Chantreaux  
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 May's - and got some goods we left  
 at the round house in the F. & D. Springs  
 We reached home at noon. Late  
 this P.M. - Mr. W. went with Clayton  
 when he went to C. to Walter's shop  
 for carriage - This eve Marion  
 and Harley Holton drove out.

24<sup>th</sup> June Friday. A warm  
 day - whether I ad or otherwise the day  
glide by - now standing still.  
 Davis and Marion at the plowing and  
 Patter also. Clayton and Ben put  
 in a fine day looking after sheep.  
 This morning Mr. W. and I took  
 a hasty trip to town late this  
 AM - Mr. W. went down with  
 Edith and Clara - to town.



At Clayton's at the old home. June 19/10.

25<sup>th</sup> June. Sat. Nat. Lignite

So warm Brock here at an early hour - and Clayton helped the Ky cattle 18 in number to the car - they overage 1817 at 6 $\frac{3}{4}$  lbs per lb -

This morning Ben at L - and brought Lucy out. This afternoon Clara went with Eva & Co. to the Springs to the Chautauqua - to hear Joe Plummer Clayton and Edith and I rode over in the carriage - Potter took father to town to Aunt Matt & Jeanette - and Aunt Aunt Mary rode over with him - we heard a fine speech on Character building. The Rev spoke to us and spoke of Homer - he said he loved him as his own brother. Potter and I left early and came past L - and

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 went to town with Marion this Evening.  
 Quite a warm day. 26° from Sabbath.  
 Potter and Ben  
 and Marion at home with father.  
 Ben brought Lucy & daughter out  
 this morning early. Both of them  
 here to day. Clayton and Edith  
 and Clara and Pat at church. Sermon  
 by Rev Ramsey. Text "What shall  
 ye of Christ?" After preaching Aunt  
 Mary came out home with me.  
 We had a nice visit. She is not  
 very well these days. Potter took  
 her down home when he went  
 to the Union Service at our church  
 to hear Dr. H. H. George on National  
 Reform. This afternoon Potter  
 at our school house at the Sabbath  
 School.



At Clayton at the old Home June 1910.

After preaching Clayton and Edith and Clara at the Sings - at Chantreya - hearing Evangelist Stuart - they took their dinner and supper and remained for the vice meeting. Clara went on the mine & left Clara and stopped off with Isabel in San Clayton and Edith returned home.

27<sup>th</sup> June Monday. A light shower last night and a sprinkle of rain this morning - and a heavy shower at noon which stopped the flowing of the W<sup>e</sup> - around all day. This evening Clayton and Edith at C - on a busy trip - Lucy busy. Her daughter has been here since yesterday.

28<sup>th</sup> June Tuesday. Much pleasanter since the rain. The men all at work today. Lucy's girl has gone to David's to work. Clayton working with sheep all P.M. The three flows running. Miss Bird called

this M. Clayton and father for Clara. It is quite

pleasant and the M. I went a boat with boy going and her station - in buggy. I had a lot of glass for me a she took I had a her mother went to her



this P.M. This morning father and I  
took quite a drive we went to the  
Clifton garden - This evening Edith  
and father and I at town at the train  
for Clara - She came in from Springfield.  
It is quite pleasant this evening.

29<sup>th</sup> June. Wed. Quite a  
pleasant day. This morning Clara  
and Mr. W. took me to the train  
I went around to Springfield.  
I met Walter Shiff and Maggie Har-  
bort going and coming - Isabel  
and her Mother met me at the  
Station - Isabel took me around  
in buggy to Dr. Minors office -  
I had my eyes tested for a  
pair of glasses - Later Isabel called  
for me and took me to dinner - Later  
She took me around to their home  
I had a pleasant hour or so with  
her Mother and Co - Later Isabel  
went with me to train - I went  
to Xenia on traction in the



At Clayton & at the old home June 18/0  
 morning I went on Steam  
 Car. Clara and Edith and Mr Mc  
 met me at train as they have had  
 quite a time talking father  
 around to day. The three plow &  
 rearing to day. Very busy.

Donald graduates to night from  
 the Flushing High School. I never  
 love to be there just for to night.

30" June. Thursday. Quite  
 a warm day. This morning Mr Mc and  
 I made a hasty trip to C - Clayton has  
 four plow rearing in the corn. Ben  
 Whitewashing. Clayton at C - and brought  
 Columbus buggy out. This afternoon  
 at four o'clock Clara and Edith at C -  
 Wm. to a four o'clock dinner  
 about thirty there. This P.M. Mr  
 Mc and Clayton at Delma to see  
 Mr Calvert. Lucy is moving last  
 evening she and daughter at town with David.



July.

1<sup>st</sup> July. Friday. Quite a warm day. Father and I at town this morning. She called at the Sisters and I called to see Anna Dr. Wilson. I met Jussup in town and chatted while I took her around home.

The men at the plowing. This afternoon Edith at the dentist. We left at town with her and returned. Lucy Cusy. Evening. She was at the tenant house while this P.M. Quite a warm evening.

2<sup>nd</sup> July Saturday. Quite a warm day. Mr. W. and I at C. I got George (the Carson horse) "shod" at Harvey Dwyer. I called to see the Aunt Marys - and Aunt Matt. & Jeanette. Mr. W. held forth there. We reached home near noon. This afternoon Mr. W. out with Clayton in the buggy for three



At Clayton's at the old Home, July 19/10  
 having hunting last night he came  
 home tired but wonderfully revived.  
 Davis and Marion and Patter flowing  
 Ben here till noon. This P.M. Edith  
 and Clara attended Mrs. Erving's Parish  
 party. This evening Lucy went  
 home with Marion to town.

3<sup>rd</sup> July Sabbath. A heavy  
 rain last night that cooled the air.  
 Clayton and Edith and I at church. Sermon  
 by Rev. W. Cheney text "When the enemy shall come  
 in like a flood the Spirit of the Lord shall lift  
 up a standard against him" Clara and  
 Patter and Ben at home with father. Clara  
 had dinner ready when we came home.

This afternoon Patter and Clayton at  
 the school house - it had all appearance  
 of a storm that kept Rev. Russ from  
 coming. Marion here this evening.

4<sup>th</sup> July Monday. The  
 great fourth. Cloudy all day - but  
 the rain kept off - Davis and Marion

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flowing this P.M. This morning  
 Davis took Patter to the train - he  
 was at Dayton but home this  
 evening. This afternoon Mr Mc  
 and I at C - Aunt Mary still on  
 the Sick list.

This afternoon Clayton and Edith  
 at Jamestown at the 4<sup>th</sup> July  
 exercise. Lucy absent - Ben  
 White washing. Clara on the program.

5<sup>th</sup> July Tuesday Cloudy

but pleasant - Davis & Marion and Patter  
 flowing. This morning I went to  
 town I called to speak to Mrs Mary  
 Farbox and Jesse On. Had a nice  
 visit with them. I called to see  
 Sister Pigeon and settled up with  
 her. She has washed for us over  
 25 years - but will change for  
 the present to satisfy all concerned.  
 As I came home I called to see  
 Mrs David and new daughter at the  
 tenant house. Lucy still absent.



At Clayton & at the old Home July 1910.  
 Cath and Clara in command -  
 For a change Clayton took Father  
 to the London Pole. He had  
 quite a meeting and fasting  
 with Mr & Mrs Kemp. They also  
 met Earl Caldwell and also Jimmie  
 in Charleston. They reached home  
 before dark - and the day was  
 called quite a success -

This morning I took most of Paul's  
 wardrobe to the hole for - we felt  
 quite sure that we would have  
 the first place with him if he  
 had the deciding of it.

6<sup>th</sup> July Wed. I took  
 Sam & Pater around planting on his  
 own acct Sweet Corn &c.

This afternoon Father went with  
 me to town and remained at Aunt  
 Jeanette's while I attended the  
 Congregational Prayer meeting  
 Had a good meeting but not  
 a very large audience - After



the meeting an additional <sup>window</sup>  
 put in by J. P. Pit for benefit  
 of the preacher was brought before  
 the house - Clepton passed through  
 town going to Uncle Hughes Collett  
 with him and stopped off at town  
 and came home with father and  
 me - Clara here - Clepton remained  
 at Uncle Hughes for supper. We had quite a  
 shower as I went to the prayer meeting.

7<sup>th</sup> July Thursday. Too wet  
 to plow Ben cutting weeds. Peter at  
 town for Geo Shrodes to make some  
 repairs on roof - he worked till noon.  
 After dinner Peter took him down  
 home. This afternoon Mr. W. and  
 I at C - he remained at the Sisters.  
 I called at Bratton's and Mattie's.  
 The late Melancthon's wives took  
 a ride with me and we had quite  
 a nice visit - we went as far as  
 the Cemetery but I could not come  
 away without going in to Paul's grave.



St Clayton & at the old Home July 1910.

We have ~~the~~ dear ones buried there  
but the wound was so fresh and  
the ache so keen that all my tears  
were for Paul - for I it is so hard  
to know that he is gone - I to think  
a year ago he was right here - going  
out and in among us - yes and  
Carl was here too - But to night there  
is a desperation - and we can not hope  
for a meeting here - but fondle in  
that beautiful city - Our Home ~~on this~~  
is all our consolation.

8<sup>th</sup> July Friday. Quite  
a beautiful day. Clara took me to  
the early train - I went around to  
Springfield - Mr Don Smith and Bruce  
met me at the station - they drove  
me around to Dr. Kline's office  
- Mr Smith was sick and not able  
to meet me - when I got through with  
my work I went to Adam's for dinner

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and took Car and went around  
 to Mrs & Smiths and spent the P. M.  
 with her - the daughter took me to the  
 train this evening. I met Rev Pal-  
 lock on train this morning - also  
 met Mrs Melancthon Harbison this  
 evening. Uncle Joe met me at  
 the train and I waited with them  
 till Edith and Clara and the M<sup>rs</sup>  
 came for me - They began cutting  
 Rye - Potter - Marion and Ben on the  
 program - David & following Clayton

9th July. Saturday. Warm  
 day. Potter Ben and Marion in the  
 Rye by the R. R. - David and Clayton  
 plowing. This morning father and  
 I drove to the Gladys Bible & the Rye  
 field with water for the men -  
 from there we went to town where  
 we stopped at the Sisters and I



At Clayton's at the old Home. July 19/10.  
 called at Rev Taylor's to see his  
 father and Mother. His Mother was  
 one of my girl friends in the Long  
 Ago. They came back from their vacation  
 on Sunday bringing their father and  
 Mother with them. Clara and Edith  
 busy in the kitchen and out of it.  
 Marion at town this evening.

On yesterday I called to see Sister  
 Stuart Douglas and her father and  
 Mother. A heavy shower brought the  
 men in from the harvest field late  
 this P.M.

10<sup>th</sup> July Sabbath. I have not  
 been feeling very well - Clayton and  
 Edith and Clara at church -  
 Patten and Ben around.

This afternoon Mr Mc got so restless  
 that I took him out in the buggy

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Patter at the Sabbath School at the  
School house. Rev Taylor preached  
this morning - The rain kept  
off - not quite as warm as usual.

11<sup>th</sup> July. Monday. A nice day. This  
morning Mr Mc and I at C. on a hasty  
trip. Marion and Patter and Ben in the  
rife. Davis and Clayton plowing. Edith  
and Clara at the work - and embroidering  
between times. This evening Edith and  
Clayton and father at C. they took our  
washing to Sister Jones for a change.  
Father and Aunt Matt called at Mrs Dalling  
to see Mattie and her Son Riley. They did  
not <sup>get</sup> home until after mine Lacey came  
home with them. Clara and her by our  
Selves we lived over Pauls last day at  
Ashville. I hope this day will come  
back to us through all of the year.

12<sup>th</sup> July Tuesday. The men all  
busy. Marion and Patter and Ben in the  
Rape field for a while then R. H. Clayton  
and Davis and Marion plowing fast.



At Clayton at the old Home July 1910.  
 of the time. This afternoon Mr. W. and  
 I went to Uncle Hughes on an errand  
 and came home through a heavy  
 shower. Lucy, Edith and Clara  
 at work -

13<sup>th</sup> July. Wed. A nice day after  
 the rain yesterday. <sup>Am. Aug.</sup> This afternoon they  
 went to the Rye Field. Clayton at  
 C. with two carriages and brought Rev  
 Taylor & wife & little son - and his father  
 and Mother out - also Mrs. Melancthon  
 W. Hillan & son Riley out all were  
 here to dinner. This afternoon Clayton  
 took father and Rev Taylor & his father  
 and Riley W. on a little drive to Selma  
 to see the Country. It was so pleasant  
 the rest of us spent most of the afternoon  
 under the trees in the yard - We certainly  
 had a pleasant day. Lucy, Edith,  
 Clayton and Edith took the fold home.  
 This evening father and I took a  
 walk to the school house. This is  
 my favorite resort.

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14<sup>th</sup> July. Thursday. A fine day Clayton and David plowing all O.M. - Marion and Ben and Patti finished the rye at noon - This afternoon Clayton and all the men in the corn.

This morning Clara took father to Aunt Jeanette and Judge to Owen's Shop - home at noon - This afternoon Clara and her with father. Edith at Rev Rutts at the Conbrodery Club - This is a nice Evening.

15<sup>th</sup> July Friday A nice day. Three plows running in the corn - Clayton and Ben repairing fence. Lucy ironing &c. This afternoon Mr. W.C. and I at town. I called to See Dr. Dixon and at Aunt Marys and Aunt Matt. We were home in time for supper - This morning Edith and Clara at Springfield - They took dinner at Adams - Edith done some shopping and Clara called at Dr. McNair's to see about her eyes. This evening they went with the Smiths to an evening



at Clayton at the old Home July 1910

picnic - they did not get home until nine - Clayton and Marion at C this evening. A telegram from Fred - he will get into Xenia after eleven and will come off in the morning.

16<sup>th</sup> July. Saturday Began raining early this morning. Work suspended for to day. Patter at town and met Fred at the train as

Clara and Edith on the program. This afternoon Clara and Edith and Mr. H & Fred at C - to call on the Hrs.

Lorcy Enos all day - She went to town with Marion - Quite damp this evening, Fred with us around the camp. Ben went home at noon.

17<sup>th</sup> July Sabbath Quite nice day - a little cool after the rain. Fred and Edith and I at church. Clayton would have gone but thought he would be too late when he came back from seeing the stock. He and Clara at home with Father. Patter around. Rev. Jaylors subject: The tent. Aunt Mary

Come home to night when going Patter there

the rain. Patter brought Clara and Edith to town early this morning cutting grass. I took the train with me. Clara and Patter down the train. About the new wash house

been a brand to the train. The men Clayton and



1910  
 Come home with us and is with us  
 to night. Mrs Plolton and daughter called  
 when going off to the Sabbath School  
 Patter there - They had quite a little class.  
 18<sup>th</sup> July, Monday. Cool after

the rain. This morning Mr & Mrs and I  
 took Aunt Mary down home - and  
 brought Aunt Jeanette and Matt out to  
 spend the day. Ben brought Lucy out  
 early this morning. The men all busy  
 cutting grass - plowing and cutting weeds.  
 It was nice to have Fred with us. This P.M.  
 I took the clothes to town - Mr & Mrs went  
 with me for the ride. This Evening  
 Clara and Edith took Aunt Jeanette and  
 Matt down home when they took Fred to  
 the train - Clara settling up some difficulty  
 about the washing while in town with our  
 new wash woman.

19<sup>th</sup> July Tuesday. This has  
 been a beautiful day. Mr & Mrs and I took Clara  
 to the train she went to Springfield today  
 She men in the hay.  
 Clayton and Ben in the sheep pen



At Clayton & at the old home July 1910  
 this A.M. - This afternoon they were with  
 Patter, ~~Davis~~ and Marion in the hay.

Patter off duty this forenoon.

This afternoon Mr Mc and I drove  
 to the hay field - and sat in the carriage  
 under a shade tree and read awhile  
 as we came home. After supper Mr  
 Mc and Edette at the train for Clara -  
 Clara spent the A.M. - at Dr. Minor's office  
 and at Mrs Smith's this afternoon.

Grey flying at the worst to day.

20<sup>th</sup> July Wed. Was a lovely  
 day. Clayton and Ben and Marion and  
 Davis in the hay field most of the time  
 Davis at an odd time plowing the potatoes  
 This morning Mr Mc and I at town on  
 a hasty trip. This afternoon Mr. Nash called -  
 This evening Uncle Silas Aunt Mollie  
 and Ralph and Walter and Jennie  
 and little Paul here to supper - Every-  
 thing lovely. Patter off duty and returned  
 this evening. Clayton & Edette and  
 Mr Mc and Clara and I on the

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"receiving Committee", At least one  
were all there - Lucy doing her best.

21<sup>st</sup> July Thurs. Another  
nice day. Mr. W<sup>c</sup> and Clayton at  
town this P. M. Patten according

to Fred's order resting his sick  
Marion repairing the mower. Davis

plowing. Lucy washing blankets.

This afternoon all in the hay. This evening  
after supper Mr. W<sup>c</sup> and I at town.

We called at the District & called to see Aunt  
Mary and sat on her Veranda, with her, for  
the first. Ralph here this evening on an errand

22<sup>nd</sup> July Friday. A beautiful  
day. Mr. W<sup>c</sup> and I went to Clifton  
this morning and came home  
fast Cedarville. We called at Sister  
Edger's for the clothes - they were done  
in fine style - we reached home near  
noon. This afternoon Clara and Mr.  
W<sup>c</sup> at town - father called at Geo. Smith's  
for medicine. The men bringing in  
hay to the barn - late this evening a light  
shower. Lucy busy today, Marion at



Mrs Nellie D. Anderson called this morning

St Clayton at the Old Home. July 1908.  
town this evening. Edette not feeling  
well - She has been in bed to day.

23<sup>rd</sup> July. Saturday. Quite  
a fine day Clayton and Marion and Ben  
and David in the hay field all day  
hauling into the barn - Patter resting  
this A.M. - and with the men things  
afternoon. Clara at Dr. Dixon's office  
getting work done. Lucy busy.  
Edette still off duty. After supper Mr  
H.C. and I at town for a ride. Lucy  
rode down to her home with us.  
Marion at town.

24<sup>th</sup> July Sabbath. Quite a  
wind blowing appearance of rain but no  
rain to day. This morning I went to church  
alone - all seemed to have satisfying  
experience and remained at home - part of  
the crowd not well. Rev Taylor's subject Bringing  
all your tithes into my store house.  
He certainly gave no uncertain sound to  
this Bible doctrine to day. Aunt Mary came  
home with me and went down to church  
with Patter and Clayton this evening.  
Sermon by Rev Taylor. Patter at the

School house  
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at town for  
field this P.



School house at the Sabbath School  
this afternoon. Mr. Mc. around all  
day. Clara had dinner when we came  
from Church. Ben around to day.

25<sup>th</sup> July. Monday. The wind  
still blowing but no rain. Lucy  
called last night for her things & to go  
to another place to work. This morning  
father and I at town - We brought Clara  
Milton home with us to help a few  
days. Clayton at Uncle Hughes - there  
to dinner and home - Clara busy. Ben  
and father sowed turnip seed this  
morning. The men all in the  
hay this afternoon - Dr. Marsh called  
to see Edith - Harry Owen here this  
afternoon - here to supper - Clayton rode  
to town with him and returned with  
Marion - Our girl did not like eating  
at a side table - and was so indignant  
she walked back home in the "twilight"

26<sup>th</sup> July Tuesday. Clayton  
and his men in the hay field - Father  
at town for the family. In the hay  
field this P.M. Marion cutting clover in



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the Charlie Barber fixed. They also cut yesterday and brought in today.

Mr Mc and I at town this P.M.

Father visiting this morning and out this afternoon with the men - Clara boy. Edith still on the Sick List.

27 July. Wednesday. Quite

a heavy shower early this morning. Clayton at town and brought Ben Modet out to fix the pump - Work at a stand still this

S.M. This afternoon the men all in the clover at Charlie's - This afternoon I

took father to town. Came home around the Kyle road - then drove down to the Creek to the Barber Posture. Clara at her post - Edith still off duty.

28<sup>th</sup> July Thursday. A light

shower last night. The men in the hayfield and between times hauling out manure.

This afternoon Ben Lynn Assisting Charles Arthur with his hay. This P.M.

Father and I at town - Marion there this evening. Clara at the work. Edith still on Sick List.

29<sup>th</sup> July Friday. A  
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29<sup>th</sup> May. Friday. This morning Clayton and I drove in the back way to town. We called to see Mrs Anna Townsend & after called at Ervins office and the express office and home. Hatters regretted not having gone with us. After an early dinner Clayton and David & Marion and Ben & Patter in the Barber Clover field. When they had safely landed in Barber barn with two loads the rain came showering down in good earnest. The men were at the manure hauling this P.M. - Patter trying to rest but with the men this P.M. - Father has been around most of the day. This evening Dr Marsh made his 2nd visit to see Edith, Clara at the work. This evening Clayton drove out - then Marion and Patter went to the Creek. Clayton did not go far out around to see the stock.



At Clayton at the old Home July, 1910  
 30<sup>th</sup> July Saturday. Work and send  
 Clayton took advantage of the cool  
 morning and took Father with  
 him to Springfield - they were home  
 at noon. Ervin absent today - Father  
 resting this D. M. - and this afternoon  
 he and David from the tenant house  
 and Marion out with Clayton and  
 brought in four loads of the Barker  
 Clover into the barn it was in good  
 condition. Edith Still on the feed  
 list Clara busy. Marion at town  
 this evening.

31<sup>st</sup> July Sabbath. Quite  
 a nice day. I was not feeling very well  
 this morning - it left Clara and  
 Clayton to go to church alone. Rev Hume  
 preached for us today. Aunt Mary came  
 home with the folks from Church - Clara  
 had dinner prepared before she went  
 away - This afternoon Clayton and  
 Clara over at James Storer at the Chautauque  
 Home P. R. Wendling spoke - Subject the Mass  
 of Galilee. She met Aunt Jennie

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 He was at the School house at the  
 Sabbath School this P.M. This Evening  
 Aunt Mary went home when Patten  
 went to Church. He enjoyed Aunt  
 Mary's story she keeps us all <sup>up</sup>  
 Ecce still on the list. Patten  
 has had an unusual good day for  
 him. Clayton and Clara home they did  
 not stay for the night Session.

August

1st of Aug Monday. A nice day.  
 All the hay and Clover disposed of.  
 The harvest is in a manner nearly ended.  
 Late this P.M. Clayton at Smith's house  
 and cut the alfalfa. He and I  
 at town - while there I met Mr. Taylors  
 father and mother at Aunt Mary's and  
 took them driving out to the Cedarville  
 Cemetery - and back home - They have  
 been over the old records in Clinton  
 Co the last week. Patten rested until  
 noon - and he and Davis & Marion



Clayton and I help  
at some times

at Clayton & at the old home. Aug 1910.  
and Ben finishing off the hay.  
By the way the other men were at  
the work in the O. W. Marion stopped  
to clean harness this P.M. - Edith came  
down stairs & had been around all  
day. Clara in full charge -

2<sup>nd</sup> Aug Tues. Another nice day.  $\frac{1}{2}$   $\frac{1}{2}$   $\frac{1}{2}$   
and I took Marion Buchanan to the train  
this morning - he has been here  
since the 25<sup>th</sup> of April - He has been  
an all right fellow - We came back  
home in due time. Clayton and  
Harry went at London Sale - Davis  
and Ben hauling manure. Pater "Rest  
ing" - This afternoon Clara and Edith  
at 6 and out at Indisilas - This  
evening father and I took a walk  
to the school house. Later Clayton &  
Co returned from London Harry went  
here to night.

3<sup>rd</sup> Aug Wed. Another nice  
day. The men bringing in the remainder  
of hay. Harry - here to dinner and

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awhile this P.M. - This morning father  
 and took a hasty trip to B - and home.  
 Mr. Carper and Carrie W - brought Aunt  
 Jennie over in the Automobile and  
 made a little call - Clara went  
 back with them to attend the Chautauque.  
 This afternoon Clayton and David and  
 Ben bringing the Alfa from  
 Annie Townsend. We were certainly  
 favored by the rain staying off until  
 the harvest was completed.

4<sup>th</sup> Aug. Thurs. Another  
 nice day. Father still off duty. Clayton and  
 David and Ben. Franklin got married.

This morning father and I at town.  
 This afternoon Edith and Clara invited  
 to a reception to "Lael Solal".

Mr. Mc and I at town this afternoon  
 again for the ride. This evening  
 Mr. D. S. Frazier and wife called.  
 They came in their Automobile.

Edith at the reception this Vera Anderson  
 and her friend rode out with her.



At Clayton's at the old Home Day. 1910  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug. Friday & beautiful day.  
 Clayton, David, and Ben brosp. This  
 morning Mr. Carper and Carrie  
 and Mrs. Laura Adams brought Clara  
 home. She has been at Jamestown since  
 Wednesday morning. Near noon I  
 left for Uncle Hugh's & told Mr.  
 and Mrs. Taylor and Theo with me.  
 Father and Father Taylor and Aunt  
 Mary were there. Uncle Hugh and  
 Aunt Margaret and Mabel and  
 Howard at their best. They served  
 a nice dinner. Aunt Mary and the  
 two Mrs. Taylors and Theo rode home  
 with me. Aunt Matt rode with me  
 to Mrs. Ball's for the washing. Charlie  
 Baslin came to town this morning.  
 Edith met him - he had quite  
 an accident on the R. R. - two weeks  
 ago - he was taken to Mercy Hospital  
 in Des Moines. He is injured but  
 will get all right now. Charlie  
 told Mr. & me to town this afternoon

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 very pleasant  
 Edith and  
 and Charlie  
 by per Taylor  
 Sabbath day



and he drove out again this evening  
 Pater still off duty, not well this day

6<sup>th</sup> Aug. Saturday. A lovely  
 day. Charlie at town this morning at the  
 train and met Fred after he came and  
 was with us awhile he concluded to go  
 with father and me to Mr. Edd Dean's  
 place to look after help - we succeeded in  
 getting 3 men for Monday. We got home  
 in time for dinner. This P.M. Pater at  
 town for coal. Clayton and Davis  
 and Ben Dwyer fixing for the thrashers  
 the machine drove in this evening.  
 Charlie B. drove over to Jamestown for  
 Aunt Jennie McMillan. She was here  
 to supper and with us to night.

7<sup>th</sup> Aug. Sabbath. Quite a nice  
 day - sprinkled rain this A.M. - The weather  
 very pleasant this P.M. Clayton and  
 Edd and Aunt Jennie and Fred  
 and Charlie and I at church - sermon  
 by Rev Taylor. Text - Remember the  
 Sabbath day to keep it holy. Clara at



At Clayton I at the old Home Aug 1910.  
 home with father - Father around.  
 He brought Aunt Mary home with us  
 dinner ready when we came.  
 This afternoon Clayton and Charlie  
 and Father at the school house at  
 the Sabbath School. I do not forget  
 that a year ago today Paul and Carl  
 were here - but gone today. This is  
 a true picture of life. Aunt Mary and  
 Jennie and Fred around. Mr. W.C. far  
 from well today. This evening Clara  
 had head ache - she went with Charlie to  
 take Aunt Mary home to get in the  
 fresh air. 8" Aug Monday. A very light shower  
 yesterday 8.40 and a heavy dew last night  
 Time and men ready to begin thrashing  
 the rye - but waiting for it dry a little  
 better - We have had a busy morning.  
 Charlie Baskin at town on errands. Mr.  
 W.C. went with him for the ride - Early  
 this morning he was at Ed Dean's  
 tenant house and brought woman  
 over to help - Later Fred and I at town

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and brought Aunt Jennette and Aunt  
 Matt out. We had Eighteen men here  
 to dinner besides the hanger on.  
 We also had a dinner for supper.  
 They finished the field after five.  
 Charlie and father took Aunt Jennette  
 and Matt home when they took Fred to the  
 train. Aunt Jennie with us to day & here  
 to night. We are happy to have her. Jon  
Self with us. Later Charlie took our woman  
 home to the Dean farm. We certainly  
 had a rushing day here. But the  
 harvest is ended at last.

9<sup>th</sup> Aug. Tuesday. Not much doing  
 here to day. Charlie and Mr. W. at town  
 this morning. This afternoon Edith  
 and Clara and Aunt Jennie at Blanchet  
 at the Embroidery club. A very light shower  
 late this P.M. Clayton and Ben. here David  
 at Baldwin's. Charlie away this Evening.

10<sup>th</sup> Aug Wednesday. Quite a nice  
 day. Father at Columbus and home this  
 evening. Ben and David at the  
 machine. This afternoon Clayton at  
 Uncle Hugh's there to Supper. This after-  
 noon



At Clayton I at the old home Aug 1910.  
 Father and I at Clifton and  
 Cedarville. Aunt Jennie with us. Edith  
 and Clara busy. Charlie around.

10 Aug ~~Thursday~~ A beautiful  
 Clayton, Edith, Clara and Aunt Jennie  
 attended Xenia fair - Charlie there  
 and went with Donnie Kye - Peter at  
 Dayton and came back this evening  
 The folks took their supper and drove  
 out to the Orphan's home and had  
 their lunch there - Father and I at  
 town this forenoon. Ben & Vin with us  
 he and David hauling manure. Kild's  
 little child died last night.

11 Aug. Friday Quite  
 a nice day. After an early dinner Clayton  
 Potter and Edith and Clara left for  
 Xenia. Clayton went out to the  
 fair - Clara and Edith went over  
 to Dayton. Peter remained in X -  
 Charlie at the fair he went with Stuart  
 Arthur. Edith and Clara took supper  
 at the Francis home - Clayton and  
 Potter elsewhere. Aunt Jennie

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hauling manure. Irvin absent.

13<sup>th</sup> Aug. Saturday. Another

nicer day. This morning Patten and  
I at town for Aunt Mary and we  
came home. Fast Ed's daughter  
house to see a girl — reached  
home for dinner — Dav's at his  
work. Uncle Hugh here helping  
Clayton and Charlie with the sheep.  
Uncle Hugh here to dinner. This  
evening Edith and Clara took Aunt  
Mary down home and went to the  
train for Miss Cora Fossie — but she  
failed to come. Aunt Jennie went  
with them for the ride. Patten around  
to day and this evening. Mrs. Samuel  
Creswell buried this afternoon.

14<sup>th</sup> Aug. Sabbath. A nice

day. Charley B. and Aunt Jennie  
and Clara, Clayton and Edith at Church  
Sermon by Rev Taylor. Patten and others  
with the wife. This afternoon — Patten at  
the School house at the Sabbath School.



at Clayton's at the old Home Aug 18 10.  
Ben Ervin here this evening.

13 Aug. Monday. Quite  
a warm day. Very dusty. Davis and Ben  
hauling manure. Clayton around.  
Mr. George Cruikshank here to dinner.  
Sunt Jennie with us all morning.  
We were invited to Sunt Jennie and  
Matts to dinner. Mr. Mc and Sunt  
Jennie and I there. We had a  
nice dinner - Patter in town  
this P.M. - and came out with us.

Kate Jackson at Sunt Mary's  
to dinner. Walter here painting.  
Our girl from Bainbridge who missed  
the train at Charleston came yester-  
day evening and began work  
here this morning.

This Evening Edith and Clara  
at town. We are lonely this evening  
without Sunt Jennie - She has been here  
since the 6<sup>th</sup> inst.

14 Aug. Tuesday. Another  
warm day. This morning the Mcs

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Uncle Joe he is not well as we also  
called at the Sun - Aunt Jennie  
there. Father around to day. Ben and  
David brof. This morning - Aunt

Mary around when in town Walter and  
Co. painting Cora getting along nicely  
She baked and swept - and cooked.

This morning Clara and Edith<sup>s</sup>  
and Charlie and Clayton have gone  
to picnic with Uncle Silas and the  
Andrews to the Clifton Cliffs - Had  
dinner and supper on the ground  
and stopped off at the Conist - Aunt  
Mary and Co - and Mrs Doc Smart and  
others in it - Father there - Charlie  
came home and is with father.

14<sup>th</sup> Aug. Quite a warm  
day. Ben & David at their work -  
This morning Father and Clayton  
took me to the train - and I went  
with Aunt Mary to Dayton at 3 PM



At Clayton at the old Home Aug. 1918.  
 Departed at 8<sup>PM</sup> for the St. L. We  
 reached Xenia at twelve O'clock -  
 and took dinner at the France Inn -  
 and went to the Court house to the  
 Carrie Platter base ball trial -  
 We met Aunt Belle and Mary and  
 others there. We took supper at  
 the France Inn - rested quite while  
 there this afternoon. Father and Clara  
 and Edith met me at the train this  
 evening - They have been long here  
 to day.

18<sup>th</sup> Aug. Thursday. Another warm  
 day. Davis handling on the City. Ben  
 cutting wood. Mr. W. and Pat &  
 this P.M. - we made out a brief  
 stay. Our girl and Edith and Clara  
 may changeing things around.  
 Charlie fixing screen door and  
 this afternoon at Clayton he remained  
 with his friends for supper.  
 Edith and Clara made a hasty trip  
 to Clayton and Patter. at  
 Springfield to day at the fair.  
 It is just a year to day since

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 corn -



Miss Brown the nurse arrived on  
the scene - We can not forget the  
succeeding day.

19<sup>th</sup> August. Friday  
not quite so warm but very dry.

Ben Irvin went away for a little  
vacation. Davis hauling on the road.  
Clayton and Patten around - Charlie  
went to Xenia to the 10.20 train for  
Homer. Clara and Edith were  
at a dinner party at Ed Stomant's  
and saw them as they fast. They  
reached here at noon - Cora had  
dinner awaiting them. Richard  
and Ruth and the new baby are  
looking fine - the baby is a sandy  
but they are all fine. Richard  
and Ruth played around the yard  
till dark - Homer and Mary  
went straight to bed - they are  
clear worn out. Charlie at C - with  
corn for Aunt Jeanette. Sweet  
corn -



At Clayton at the old Home - Aug. 1910.

20<sup>th</sup> Aug. Sat. Still dry and  
dusty but not quite so warm.

Charlie at C. and brought Homer &  
trunk out. Homers around all day  
Potter and Charlie and Clayton on  
the program. Edith and Clara and  
Mary around. Cora at her work.

I began taking my Perma-  
medicine yesterday. Clayton and Charlie  
at town this Evening, Davis here till noon.

21<sup>st</sup> Aug Sabb. Rather a  
nice day but very warm. Clayton  
and Edith and Charlie and Mary  
and Ruth and I at Church, Homer  
and Clara at home with Richard  
and the baby and Mr. Mc.

Rev Taylor's Subject was reverence  
for God's Word. Cora taking care  
of the dinner. Aunt Jennie & Willie  
came home with us. This afternoon  
Potter and Charlie Mary and Richard  
and Ruth and Cora at the Sabbath

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Clayton,  
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Cora at her  
at town -  
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Clayton and  
Edith and  
until two  
with Mr. Potter  
Cora had be  
dust, Homer  
at this  
Clayton and



School. This Evening Charlie at  
Clifton.

22<sup>nd</sup> Aug. Monday. Dry & dusty.  
Homer and Ruth and Mr Mc and I at town  
on a hasty trip. Aunt Jennie and Mary  
and the children around - Charlie and  
David at Carpenter work - Patter around -  
Cora at her work - This PM - late Clayton  
at town - Later Edith and Clara there.

23<sup>rd</sup> Aug. Tuesday - Dry & dusty.  
Charlie and David busy at Carpenter work.  
Clayton and Patter around.

This A.M. late Homer and baby No 3 - and Mary  
and Aunt Jennie Mc at Ors along with  
the Palbreaths and Jubet tribe to dinner.  
This PM - Clayton took father to town to  
the Barber Shop - Late this evening  
Clayton and Edith and Clara at James town.  
Edith and Clayton did not get back  
until twelve. Aunt Jennie and Homer  
with us. Patter taking care of father again.  
Cora has been busy the day.

24<sup>th</sup> Aug. Wednesday. Dry and  
dusty. Homer and Mary and the children  
at their family picnic beyond Selma -  
Clayton and Edith and Potter and Aunt



At Clapton & at the old Home Aug. 1910.  
 Jennie <sup>at Governor's picnic</sup> - She came back with them  
 they also brought Aunt Mary back with  
 them. Mr. McE and I took her with us  
 to Edw Deans Tenant house. Aunt  
 Mary engaged a girl for her boarding  
 house - we reached home in time  
 for supper after supper Charlie B. took  
 her horse. Homer and his crowd  
 and Mrs. Hunt stopped off at Mrs  
 Thomas for supper - and did not  
 get down home till near nine -  
 Charlie & Davis at their Carpenter  
 work. Cora busy today. The Governor's  
 picnic was held in the old church yard.  
 They all seemed to have had an enjoyable  
 day.

25<sup>th</sup> Aug. Thurs. The wind blowing  
 considerable all day. This morning  
 Charlie and Davis at their work in  
 good earnest. Aunt Jennie and  
 Homer and Mary and the children  
 around as Mr. McE up and down -

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 town for  
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 feeling well  
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 went back  
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 stay with a  
 morning  
 the well digger  
 with their  
 in vicinity  
 Homer at  
 to repair a  
 shaft and  
 rode down  
 Cool morning



1910.  
This afternoon Homer at town Clayton  
there to - This evening Clayton at  
town again Charlie in Chipton & riding  
for a change - Edith has not been  
feeling well - She has been in bed to  
day.

26 Aug. Friday - We had a light  
shower last night - which has cooled the air  
considerable and settled the dust - Mr & Mrs  
Casper brought Clara home from farm town  
this morning and Mrs Adam's - Aunt Jennie  
went back with them we were sorry to  
have her go for we certainly enjoyed her  
stay with us. Mr & Mrs and I at town this  
morning home in time for dinner  
The well diggers here and began this work  
with their machinery to bore a well  
in vicinity of the kitchen.

Homer at El and brought Storky out  
to repair engine - Aunt Mollie and Uncle  
Silas and ~~Aunt~~ called - and Mr Storky  
rode down with them.

27 Aug. Saturday. A nice  
cool morning - On new girl met a



At Clayton & at the old Home Aug. 1918 -  
 a message that her father is well -  
 I told her and Homer to the early  
 train - he going to Ky until over tomorrow  
 and she to her home in Bainbridge Miss -  
 I called to see Uncle Joe and was sorry to find  
 him in such a bad way - he had been com-  
 plaining for weeks - I also called to  
 see Dr. Dixon - and chatted a little  
 with Mary Caldwell M<sup>rs</sup> - Mary and the children  
 around - Clara at the work. Edith still  
 on the sick list. W<sup>h</sup> W<sup>h</sup> up and down -  
 The men at the well drilling.  
 Charlie working in cement. Peter  
 helping us - but he has a faithful  
 time with father at night.

This afternoon Rev James and Mrs  
 Steel called - We had an enjoyable  
 meeting. They have spent three weeks  
 at the White mountains and come  
 here to spend the remainder of their  
 vacation - Among the dear folks at Cedarville

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Charley and Clayton at town. Clayton called at Galbreaths to see Charlie. He met Ray & Farland & Pauls Jr in town.

28<sup>th</sup> Aug. Sabbath Lenten  
 a nice day. Clayton and Charlie and I at church - Edith in bed again to day. Clara and Mary and the children and Patter at home. Mr. McE on and down. Rev Robert Galbreath preached - His text "This is the victory that overcometh the world even your faith." He gave us a fine sermon. This afternoon Patter and Charlie and Ruth and Richard at the school house at the Sabbath school.

This evening Clayton and Patter and I at church - Rev James Steel preached text - "More than Conquerors" - A good sermon and a large audience.



At Clayton & at the Old Home Aug. 1910  
 29<sup>th</sup> Aug. Monday. The men  
 here at the drilling - have only gained  
 a foot since Saturday they are working  
 in the joint sand. Edith has  
 been on the program with Clara  
 and Mary. The late George of twelve  
 years ago here to breakfast and  
 passed on. Charlie and David  
 Bray, Potter and Clayton around  
 working on sheep. This P.M. Mr.  
 Mc and Ruth and I drove over to  
 Ed's Dean's tenant house - This  
 Evening Mary went to the train  
 for Homer. Charlie away this evening.

30<sup>th</sup> Aug. Tuesday. Still  
 dry - The men here at their well boring  
 they struck water this P.M. - at 67 feet  
 they have concluded to go 3 ft more -

David and Charlie Bray, Clayton  
 at C. - this P.M. - for

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 program - Ruth and Richard Bray from

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 at Cliff  
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 Homer &  
 P.M. Charlie

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morning till night. Homer<sup>Ruth</sup> at C-  
this P.M. - Father having trouble with  
a sore toe. Homer and Ruth at Galbreaths.

31<sup>st</sup> Aug. Wednesday Still  
very dry & dusty. I went to town at an  
early hour with the clothes to Sister W. Graps  
beaver at her Jaylors gate and came  
home. The two Aunt Marys spending a  
few days at Uncle Hughes.

Edith and Clara and Mary on the  
program - Homer and the children  
around the life - Dill called at the  
gate with Robt Galbreaths family  
and Mother when out for a ride -  
Charlie B. working in cement  
David bug - Father and Clayton  
around. This afternoon Ruth and  
I at Clifton and brought home Beatrice  
Miller to help out for a few days.  
Homer and Father at town late this  
P.M. Charlie at Arthur's this evening.

September.

1<sup>st</sup> Sept Thurs. After a long time we had  
quite a nice shower near noon today.



St Clayton at the Old Home - Sept. 1910.

The last good rain was at the beginning of harvest - This morning Homer at the 7.30 train for Fred & Me and Homer & Mary and the children around to day Clara and Edith and Beatrice on the program - This afternoon - Father at town at the office - by way of accommodation. My Me. up and down of usual.

All of us at home this evening.

3<sup>rd</sup> Sept. Friday. A nice day. This morning Fred took Homer to the train. He goes first to Kansas City to be there over Sabbath. Later Mr. Mc and Mary and the baby and I went down to Mary cake around to see the Annts and let them see their new nephew. Richard and Ruth remained around the yard at home Edith and Clara making preparations for Company of Jamestown but finally they could not come. I spent a little time at Dr. Dutton's office making changes in teeth. We reached home at noon. I met Mrs. Morton to day. Fred here

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with us. This Evening Charlie and Clara and Edette took the children to Thomas to Selma - Charlie D and Davis Enay. Late this P. M. - our girl got home Sick - and Patter took her back to Clifton.

3<sup>rd</sup> Sept. Saturday. Cloudy but the rain fails to come.

Had not feeling well - had headache. He has been around to day, the life up and down. Edette and Clara Enay. This afternoon Eva Arthur went with Edette to town. Charlie and Davis and Clayton Enay cleaning the well in the old barn lot and doing all kind of things. Patter Enay too. "Every one would but Father." This Evening the life and Patter and I at the 7.30 train to meet Mrs Katy Reid - late of the Foster house who has come to be with us awhile, we hope. It is very dark and cloudy this evening. Sewing Machine



At Clayton's at the Old Home Sept 1910.  
 4<sup>th</sup> Sept. Sabbath. Fred not  
 feeling well. I remained at home  
 with him and Father. Patter around.  
 Katy - our new woman took care  
 of the dinner. Clayton and Edith  
 and and Charlie and Clara at Church.  
 Rev Gray preached - 2. H. P. for the Pylar.  
 Aunt Mary came home with them.  
 This afternoon Patter and Charlie and  
 Aunt Mary at the Sabbath School - She  
 taught the class. This P.M. - Clayton  
 took Fred to see Dr Marsh.

Late this P.M. - Mr Isaac Thoms brought  
 Mary and the children down.

After lunch Fred went to the  
 train with Clayton and Patter as they  
 went to Church. He will take the  
 Sleeper in X - hoping to awaken in  
 Chicago. Aunt Mary went to church  
 also. Mr Wc up and down and  
 around all day.

5 Sept. Monday

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Clayton and Charlie and Davis Gray  
 at the well at the barn lot -  
 Patter at town until noon -  
 Mr. Frank Townsend here this P.M.  
 Late this P.M. - Mary and Ruth  
 and Mr. W.C. at town. A heavy rain  
 to day - Charlie away <sup>this evening</sup>  
 6<sup>th</sup> Sept. Sunday. Last night a  
 heavy rain. Clayton and Charlie  
 and Davis Gray with the well in  
 barn lot. Fred came to to C. - on the  
 Y. Del. train. Mary met him.  
 He ~~is~~ looks a little better than he  
 did when he went away. This after-  
 noon Fred took father to town. Near noon  
 Edith and Clara left for Springfield -  
 did not get back till dark -  
 This has been a pleasant day. Mary and  
 the children around.

7<sup>th</sup> Sept. Wednesday. Another  
 nice day. Jurg & Brodie here helping with  
 samples - Charlie brought him out  
 he went home in our conveyance



A Clayton at the old home Sept 1970.  
and came back this afternoon. When  
he finished his work Patter took  
him home. This afternoon Clara and  
Fred at the Yellow Springs & at Mrs. Wags  
Adam's to see Sam & Bernice and  
Laura they had quite a pleasant  
call. Edith and Mary & the baby and  
the wife at town. Kate Gray at the  
work. Clayton and David and Charlie  
were in the Peeps business -  
the injuries are to day.

This evening late Patter and Ruth  
and Richard and I at the school  
house to look after books. To be sure this  
of old memories - for that was our  
meeting place in those dear old  
days that are gone.

8<sup>th</sup> Sept. Thursday.

A heavy shower last night and  
another one this P.M. Fred and  
Mary and the children visit us.

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Potter at town on an errand this P.M. - Davis on duty to day. Clayton and Charlie busy - all day.

This P.M. - Clara took Fred to the fast train - it stopped for him at C - Father has been up and down and around all day - Marion got our carriage and met his father and Mother from Pitts C. and took them to David's - 9" Sept. Friday. A nice day but cool this evening. Clayton and Charlie at C - this A.M. This P.M. Mary and Ruth and the baby and Father and I there - This evening Clayton and Edith there, Potter around to day. Katy at her work - Davis helping with gravel and Cement. Clara on the program.

10" Sept Sat. Almost cool enough last night for frost.

Clayton & Charlie busy. David at Xenia. This afternoon Clayton at C. on an errand - Eva Arthur called - Late this P.M. - Mary and Ruth



St Clayton at the old home Sept. 1910.  
and the baby and Clara and father  
at town for a ride. Aunt Jeanette  
not very well — Katy busy, Potter  
around — Edith busy. I have been  
suffering with Rheumatism — but  
Edith suggested a hot water bath  
which relieved my ankle very much.  
I gave it a complete trial.

Charlie away this evening. He does not  
forget that it is a year ago to night  
where Paul came down from his  
few days stay in the Hospital in  
Columbus — he rode out with Isabel  
and Jeanette and Mary and ~~the~~ (Homer's Mary)  
This was the last time he was in Cedarville  
How all come back to us now —  
day after day.

11<sup>th</sup> Sept. Sabbath. A nice  
day. Clayton and Clara and I at  
church. Sermon by Rev Taylor Subject  
Some of the sins that confront  
our nation. Mary at home with the

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Potter and  
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and Charles  
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children, Edith and Charlie and  
 Potter and Mr. Ue around. Katy in  
 the kitchen. This afternoon Potter  
 and Charlie B. and Ruth and Richard  
 at the school house at the Sabbath  
 School. This evening Charlie drove  
 out -

12<sup>th</sup> Sept. Monday. This morning  
 Mr. Ue and I at town. Sent Jeanette  
 is sick. We brought peaches out for  
 the folks. Potter and Charlie at Outers  
 at the machine - got through near  
 four. After dinner Edith told us good  
 by and Clayton took her and trunk to  
 Springfield to the Erie train to go to  
 Jason & Nellie at Glen Head N.Y. She  
 expects to reach there tomorrow  
 P.M. Mary and Clara putting up peaches  
 Katy at the work.

13<sup>th</sup> Sept. Tuesday. Rain last  
 night - Cloudy most of the day.  
 Mary took the baby with her and went



At Clayton I at the old home Sept. 1916  
 to the Springs to meet home at  
 eleven 30th. Richard and Ruth busy  
 in the yard. Patter at Co - with the  
 washing and brought Geo Shroder out  
 with him to help out with the pump -  
 he went back with Stuart Arthur.  
 Homer and Mary back to 9 ome  
 Qloey dinner. Late this P.M. - he  
 and Mr. W. - made a hasty trip to town  
 Davis hauling gravel this afternoon.

14th Sept. Wed. Quite a  
 nice day. Patter and I attended the opening  
 of Cedarville College.  
 President of Lane Seminary made  
 the address - Subject: Power. The factors  
 he mentioned - were Conviction - Courage  
 and Love - the greatest love. We had  
 quite a good audience.  
 We reached home at noon. Homer  
 and Mary and the children with us.  
 And Charlie B. - This evening he  
 is at Clifton. Mr. W. and Homer at  
 town this afternoon. Katy busy. Clara

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around. Clayton at Annie Miller  
Journals cutting alfalfa this P.M. Davis  
hauling gravel. Charlie fixing gates  
this P.M.

15<sup>th</sup> Sept. Thursday A beautiful  
day. Mary took me to the train this  
morning - I went with Aunt Belle  
and Co. to Xenia to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual  
Convention of the W. C. T. U. - I humked  
delegate there. We had a nice all  
day meeting. This afternoon late I  
called to see Mrs. Frazer and attended  
to a little business. Clayton took  
Charlie Baslin to the Jones Creek  
train in X - he goes to his home in  
S. C. I met Clayton returning from  
the train - he put his horse up  
and we went to the place I mean to  
supper and Clayton went to the  
train to meet Aunt Mary I went with  
them to the 1st. M. V. Church to the  
Matrons



St Claytons at the old Home Sept. 1900.  
 Silver Medal Contest - Aunt Mary one  
 of the contestants - She acquitted her  
 self creditably and so did all the  
 others. They all rec<sup>d</sup> much praise -  
 Spring Valley Contestant won the medal  
 but only by one tenth. Aunt Mary rode  
 home with us. It is bright moon light =

This afternoon Homer took father & to town  
 Aunt Jeannette & self. I was sorry  
 to be away from the children  
 today as they are planning to leave us  
 in the morning. Katy busy her today.

On 16<sup>th</sup> Sept. Friday  
 Another nice day - Homer took us  
 good by this morning and Clara and  
 we took them to the 7.30 train for  
 Columbus. Clayton took their trunk  
 We did indeed regret to have them  
 go - we will miss the children for  
 they are certainly lovely one and all.  
 Patter at town to night practicing  
 in dress it with four others for the children's  
 day.

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17<sup>th</sup> Sept. Saturday A nice day. Mr. Mc= and I at town this morning Hunt Jeanette Steel Pick - we reached home at noon as Clara and Katy boys. David began cutting corn yesterday and in continuance to day. This evening Patter at town. He was at the Annie Jonsley Alfalfa field this P.M. Clayton and the boys at the Sheep.

18<sup>th</sup> Sept. Sabbath. Cloudy but a nice day. This was children's day at the Sabbath School - A very interesting occasion. Rev Taylor's subject was a going back to the beginning of Sabbath School work in our Church and following it down to day. A beautiful history of the way the Lord has led us - the wonderful way. Katy and Clara here with father and Clayton and Patter and I at church. This afternoon Patter at the School house



At Clayton at the old Home. Sept. 1910.  
 at the Sabbath School - Nativity standing  
 this is God's holy Sabbath Mr. Dick  
 Bergdel and wife and Mrs. Laura Adams  
 brought Aunt Jennie over in their  
 Automobile - and made a little call  
 and went back leaving Aunt Jennie  
 with us. This Evening Patter and  
 Clayton at Church. Sermon by Rev Taylor.

19<sup>th</sup> Sept. Monday. Cloudy  
 & sprinkle of rain. This morning Mr. Mc  
 and Aunt Jennie and I at 6 - Aunt  
 Jennie called at Dr. Diefendorf's office -  
 We reached home near noon. Clayton  
 and Patter took twenty head of hogs to  
 Mr. Frank Townsend in E - they averaged  
 267 lbs at 9.34. Aunt Jennie with  
 us. Clara and Katy busy. Clayton at  
 6 - this P.M. This morning we brought  
 Uncle Joe out with us - he was here  
 to dinner - and went back with Clayton  
 this P.M.

20<sup>th</sup> Sept. Tues  
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20<sup>th</sup> Sept. Tues. Gloomy most of the day - but  
 bright late this P.M. For something in a  
 very great while we locked up and  
 left the premises in case of Rousey.  
 Clara and Aunt Jennie hustled off  
 to the 7.30 train for Dayton and  
 Clayton and Patten and Mr. W<sup>c</sup> and  
 Katy and I spent the day at Uncle  
 Hughes - They thrashed out there 20  
 day. They had a nice dinner -  
 We were home after 5.00. I was glad

for Katy to have such a nice day.  
 This evening Clayton at the 7.30  
 train for Clara and Aunt Jennie. They  
 to have had a pleasant day.

21<sup>st</sup> Sept. Wed. Quite a  
 nice day. Clara took Aunt Jennie to  
 Dr. Dixon's Office - Patten went with  
 them to Mrs Anna Jowndrup's alfalfa field.  
 Aunt Jennie stayed with Aunt Jennie  
 and Matt to day. Clara came home very  
 soon. Clayton around here all P.M. The  
 breaking his wagon wheel prevented him



At Clayton at the old Home Sept.

from meeting Patter at the Defalpa field - Patter home to dinner. Clara brought Uncle Joe home with her - This afternoon Clayton and Patter brought the Defalpa from Anna Ponsely. Father and I took Uncle Joe home - and brought Aunt Jennie back with us.

Katy busy to day.

22<sup>nd</sup> Sept. Thursday. Quite

A delightful day - Patter left on the early train for Dayton - Later Aunt Jennie McMillan told us good by and Clayton and Clara took her to Jamestown - to Dick Bergdals to dinner and to attend the Jamestown Fair this afternoon. Mr. McE. and Katy and I had a lonely day here, as we were all alone.

It is just three years this morning since dear Sister William I passed to the other world - Her life was a beautiful one - She is gone but not forgotten.

13<sup>th</sup> Sept. Patter  
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Jamestown  
Co. to town  
A nice day  
with Mr. McE.



23<sup>rd</sup> Sept. Friday. A nice day. This morning father and I at town. Clayton there and brought Coal out. Pater visiting Miss Shiff's School - and helping Arthur with his Clover Lining. This afternoon we went to town home again this Evening Clayton and Clara over at Jamestown & again with Aunt Jennie and the folks at Dick Bardsie's and out at the fair. They were there to Supper. The rain came on before they reached home. Katy cleaning and I sweeping to day. The rain was more in appearance than in reality - did not last long.

24<sup>th</sup> Sept Saturday - A nice day. Clayton and Pater boys most of the day and so were Clara and Katy. This afternoon late Mr. McE and I at town - we expected to call to see Dan McE but finally only stopped at the gate. Clara and Katy preparing a lunch for Aunt Jennie and Co - tomorrow evening.

25<sup>th</sup> Sept. Sabbath. Quite a nice day. Pater and Katy at home with Mr. McE. Clayton and Clara and



At Clayton's at the Old Home. Sept 19/10

I at church. Clara rode down with Eva Orthing. Rev Taylor's Subject the Power of Prayer. Katy had dinner awaiting us. This afternoon Patten at the School house at the Sabbath School, and home in time to take bench with

Mrs Dick Bergdill and wife and Aunt Jennie and Laura who drove over in their Automobile - and altho this Sabbath keeping differs in every way from the directions given in the 88 of Isaiah and the last two verses it was not any fault of mine - but was sorry for either my self or children to be put in such a position. Let us all as much as is

possible adhere to the exhortation as given in that chapter in regard to the right keeping of the Sabbath. Here it is - "If thou turn away thy foot from the Sabbath, from doing thy pleasure on my holy day; and call the Sabbath a delight, the holy of the Lord, honorable: and shall honour him, not doing thy own ways nor finding thine own pleasure, nor

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and  
this afternoon  
Clara and



Blessing thine own words; then shalt thou delight thy self in the Lord; and I will cause thee to ride upon the high places of the earth, and feed thee with the heritage of Jacob, thy father; for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it."

This Evening Clayton and Patter at Church. at the H. P. R. De Smiley a H. P. brother preached.

26<sup>th</sup> Sept. Monday. Quite a nice day. Mr Mc and I made a hasty trip to town this morning. Katy and Clara busy. Davis at his Corn Contract these days. Patter began this morning to cut.

This afternoon Clayton busy with the sheep. Mr Mc and I at town again for a short time. Mr Martin Barber funeral this afternoon. Rev Heene conducted the exercises. He was 90 years old.

27<sup>th</sup> Sept. Tues. Very much

little rain & light shower early this morning. It cleared off nicely at noon. Mrs Davis got our carriage and took her baby to the Dr and brought her Mother out with her. This afternoon Mr Mc and I at town. Clara and Katy on the program this



At Clayton at the old Home Sept. 1910.  
 afternoon Jacke Hugh and Clayton in the  
 vicinity of Jelma.

28<sup>th</sup> Sept Wed. Quite  
 a nice day. Mr Mc and I at town this  
 morning. Home again at noon.  
 This afternoon Clayton took Mr Mc  
 with him to a sale at the late Brown  
 farm. They did not get home till  
 dark. Davis and Peter at their  
 corn cutting. This evening Clayton  
 at C. to meet Charlie Bashin finally  
 met him at the Springs - they did  
 not get back until twelve.  
 Katy and Clara busy as usual.

29<sup>th</sup> Sept. Thurs. Glove  
 day. Charlie with us. Ben & Vin came  
 this morning and began cutting corn.  
 This P.M. Mr Mc and I at town - doing  
 errands for the family got back  
 at noon. This afternoon we were at  
 town again to please father. Katy busy  
 Clara planning to go to Wilmington with  
 Clayton in the morning. Letter from  
 Homer he is in Columbus with Mary  
 and the children just back from N. C.

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Bogata - he goes to Va - and will not get down as we hoped. Charlie out this evening.

30<sup>th</sup> Sept. Friday. Quite

a nice day. All off at an early hour and Clara & Clayton left a little after Six for Wilmington, Patten and Ben at their corn cutting & Jan's. A telephone from Fred he came in at 7.30 this morning from N.Y. & Boston. Charlie went to town and brought him out - we miss Clara and Clayton. Katy busy at the work. Charlie trying to study - this evening

he was at Clifton. Clayton had a nice day at the fair - and Clara a nice day with Aunt Mary & C. Mrs D. from the tenant house with the carriage and old Ben taking her baby to the Dr. S.

October.

1<sup>st</sup> Oct. Saturday. Quite a nice day. Patten and Ben at the corn. This morning Mr. W. and Fred and I made a hasty trip to town. Clara and Clayton around today. Katy busy. This P.M. late Mr. W.



St Clayton I at the old Home Sept. 1900.  
and I at town again on a short trip -  
and Fred - he drove to the tower -  
we made but a short stay. We met  
Mr John Dunsell and old school friend  
in town this morning. Charlie out  
in the vicinity of home this evening

2<sup>nd</sup> Oct. Sabbath. A  
a nice day. Fred and Clayton and Charlie  
and I at church. Clara and Pater and  
Katy at home with Mr & Mrs Rev Taylor's  
text - If any two agree &c. The subject  
the power of prayer. The sermon very  
practical.

This afternoon Race day at our school  
House at the Sabbath School and a  
good day. Quite a good attendance.  
Pater and Clayton and Charlie there  
also Fred and Clara. Prof Allen taught  
the Bible lesson. Music fine.

This evening Charlie away. Fred  
with us - and happy we are that  
he is with us.

3<sup>rd</sup> Oct. Monday. Another  
nice day. Fred with us - This A.M. he  
and Clara took a hasty drive to Jamistown



to see Aunt Jennie - back her for  
dinner Ben and Patter busy at the  
corn cutting. Clayton busy. This  
afternoon Fred right here with us.  
Charlie B - helping Clayton with a  
Jence. After supper Clara and  
Charlie talking Fred to the train  
and called to see the folks - Kinfolks  
in it - We enjoyed Fred being with  
us - he needs a good long rest.

4<sup>th</sup> Oct. Tuesday. The  
wind blew hard all day - something  
new for this time of the year. Mr. Mc  
and I took Charlie Bastin to the  
train - he left for Dundasbor.  
He made but a short stay. I settled  
with Sister Robison and I passed -  
Ben and Patter at the corn cutting  
Yuel. I hope called he and Clayton  
at London - This evening Clayton  
took Clara over to Jamestown.

We met Mr. Melancthon Bull  
coming to our house this morning with  
some documents to sign for Aunt Mary.  
Clayton has had a busy day.



At Clayton at the Old Home October 1905.  
 5<sup>th</sup> Oct. Wed. Very early this morning - the  
 rain fell in buckets & fells - and it has  
 been a down pour all day and still  
 raining this evening. Mr. Mc has  
 been shut in to day. Work suspended -  
 Ben around - Katy busy. This afternoon  
 Clayton and Patten at the Congregational  
 prayer meeting at the Church - It is  
 still raining this evening.

6<sup>th</sup> Oct. Thursday, It rained  
 most of the night and almost constantly  
 to day while it did not pour like it did  
 yesterday still it rained - Clayton got  
 in a full day with the sheep in the barn -  
 Clara called off from Jamestown the  
 steady rain kept her from  
 coming home to day. He will hope  
 for a bit of tomorrow. Ben and Patten  
 around waiting for the clouds to  
 go by. Katy at her work as usual,  
 Mr. Mc around as usual. I read  
 Christ Life by Rev. D. B. Simpson it is  
 certainly fine.

Not Friday  
 cooler after  
 the corn  
 Carrie's card  
 went back  
 dinner at  
 is invited  
 tomorrow  
 getting the  
 Mr. Mc  
 to meet her  
 from the  
 6<sup>th</sup> after me  
 around  
 and came  
 this afternoon  
 Katy busy  
 day Ben has  
 corn & deer  
 little David  
 Katy busy  
 of the day  
 this PM -  
 a happy life



7<sup>th</sup> Oct Friday. The Sun Shining - It is much cooler after the rain - Ben and Patter in the corn Davis is there too. This M<sup>rs</sup> Carrie Corger brought Clara home - she went back to the dentist - and took dinner at Mrs Andrew Jacksons. Clara is invited to Jamestown to a reception tomorrow afternoon her only chance of getting there was to go back with Carrie M<sup>rs</sup> M<sup>rs</sup> and I took her out to Mrs Jackson to meet her there when we went to town. We made out a short stay in C - after we came back we took a drive around the back road to see the corn and came home. Uncle Hugh here this afternoon helping Clayton with sheep. Katy busy as usual.

8<sup>th</sup> Oct Sat. Quite a nice day. Ben here till noon - Patter at the Corn & Davis - Clayton assisted with the little Davis boys done repairing on fence or gate. Katy busy all day. M<sup>rs</sup> M<sup>rs</sup> in bed most of the day - for a change remained there this P.M. - when I went to town. I made a hasty trip. M<sup>rs</sup> Harry North called this



At Clayton at the old Home Oct. 1910  
morning. This Evening Clayton  
went over to Jamestown for Clara.

9<sup>th</sup> Oct Sabbath. A nice  
A nice day Potter and I were with Father  
Katy went to town when Clayton and  
Clara went to church. Sermon by  
Rev Taylor. This afternoon Potter at  
the School house. This evening he  
and Clara and Clayton at our church.  
Sermon Rev James MacEachern. Katy came  
back with them. Ben was here this  
evening.

10<sup>th</sup> Oct. Monday. We concluded  
to make a change and for once in a very  
long time dismissed our girl but tried  
to do it in such a way as not to hurt her  
feelings. Mr. Mc and I took her to town and we  
got the promise of another help as well  
this week. We did not get home until  
near noon when ~~Clara~~ had dinner ready. This  
afternoon she went with Eva Atkins to  
Kenia — Clayton at Dr. Cuswells for  
Seed Wheat this P.M. This evening



he is at town incl. Hugh here a short  
time assisting with sheep this P.M.

11<sup>th</sup> Oct. Sunday. Quite a  
nice day. Corn cutting the order of the  
day. Mr Mc and I at town this morning.  
This afternoon he and Clayton at the  
Benton Barber's Sale. Clayton and  
Ben at the corn. This P.M. Clara at a  
party in honor of Fern, Ervin, at Mrs &  
Oscar Smith's. Blanche, several there.  
I was here alone nearly all afternoon.  
Clara drove out for Ana and brought her  
into the party.

12<sup>th</sup> Oct Wed. Quite a beautiful  
day. I drove to town and brought Florence  
William & out to help a few days she cleaned  
the room & the windows - Mr and  
Mrs Oliver Anderson and daughter Fritside  
called - they are going back to Cal - soon.  
Late this afternoon Mr Mc and I at town.  
Mr Mc drove around the "Plantation"  
a little while this P.M. - Clara has been  
sneaky. Clayton went by way of the Kerr



At Clayton I at the Old Home Det- 1910  
 farm to help Myers with one of the Coats  
 that got hurt. Clayton brought Bailey  
 and Son out from C- to help with the  
 corn cutting. He began sowing wheat  
 Clayton and Ben busy. Florence with us  
 to night.

13<sup>th</sup> Oct. Thurs. Quite a beautiful  
 day. Ben & Patter and Davis at the corn  
 cutting in continuance. Bailey &  
 Son here this P.M. They finished cutting  
 in field by the house - and Clayton finished  
 the wheat sowing in same field. Florence  
 here to day sweeping &c. Clara busy. This  
 afternoon Mr. Wc and I at town. Went  
 Mary and I took a ride out as far  
 as the Will Barber<sup>ed</sup> home - not to  
 find a beautiful home but a mis-  
 erable one - we were just taking a little  
 ride and went in that direction a little  
 seeing.

14<sup>th</sup> Oct. Friday. A beautiful day  
 indeed. Mr. Wc and I at town on a hasty  
 trip this morning. Clayton at his work -  
 Ben & Patter & Davis of the corn. Mr.



had quite a little company to day  
 of folks. Mrs H. S. Frazer & Son Clarence.  
 Mr Frazer was called to Cincinnati & could  
 not be here. He also had Will & Mary present  
 and Mrs Mary Adams from the Springs  
 and Mrs Armstrong from Denver.

Mr & Mrs John Carper of Jamestown and  
 Mrs Pentty of Jamestown. And Mr & Mrs  
 and little daughter from ~~Jamestown~~ <sup>Denver</sup>.

Mrs Sharp could not come - Eva  
 Arthur here and helped Clara and  
 Florence serve - The dinner was  
 greatly praised. This afternoon Mr  
 Frazer took Mr Mc and several as  
 far as Selma for an Automobile  
 ride - Later Mr Carper took Mr  
 Mc and Clayton and me to Selma  
 we called to speak to Mr Calvert.

We certainly have had blessed day  
 everything a success from start to finish.  
 Potter took Florence down home  
 This is a beautiful evening.

15<sup>th</sup> Oct Saturday, a beautiful  
 day. Ben & Co in the car. Clayton  
 out at something - Potter out at home



At Clayton at the Old Home. Oct. 1910  
 Thought for my this S. M. This afternoon  
 Clayton getting ground ready for Ryle -  
 Clara at Mrs Dr Oglesbee at a Kitchen  
 Shower for Fern & - quite a number  
 there. I have not been well - have been  
 in bed most of the day. Mr Mc around.

16<sup>th</sup> Oct. Sabbath. Quite  
 a nice day. Potter at home with Mr Mc  
 Clayton and Clara and I at church. My text  
 text "God forbid I should sin against the  
 Lord in ceasing to pray for you" We  
 are enjoined to pray for others in this text.  
 This afternoon Potter opened the school  
 house and sang the bells quite a few  
 out. Caldwell from the Seminary gave  
 the talk on the lesson. This Evening  
 Clayton and Clara at the opening of the  
 M. E. Church after its been repaired and  
 a pipe Organ put in.

17<sup>th</sup> Oct. Monday. Mr Mc  
 and I at Town Florence Williams half way  
 promised to come - but she had gone  
 to Springfield we made but a short

Stay. Clara  
 going  
 and home  
 this day  
 come to  
 Clara  
 church  
 this is

day, Clara  
 near noon  
 Springfield  
 late - but  
 night was  
 this afternoon  
 while she  
 Mary took  
 one. Potter  
 the corner  
 arrived  
 afternoon  
 I don't know  
 lady and



Stay. Ben and Patter at the corn - Clayton  
sowing rye. This afternoon Mr. W. C.  
and I took the clothes to Sister Po.

Their daughter Henrietta promised to  
come Monday - we will see.  
Clara put in a full day making  
French Pickles she has eight gallons.  
This is a beautiful evening.

18<sup>th</sup> Oct. Tuesday. A beautiful  
day. Clara prepared dinner for us and  
near noon she and Clayton left for  
Springfield did not get home till  
late - but it was so beautiful the  
night was almost as clear as day.

This afternoon Mr. W. C. and I at town  
while he visited at Aunt Blatts - Aunt  
Mary took a little ride out with  
me. Patter and Ben busy with  
the corn - I letter from Jason - Thomas  
arrived at their home Sabbath  
afternoon of the 16<sup>th</sup> - weighed 8 lbs.  
I don't not that this we we, young  
lady rec'd. quite a warm reception.



At Clayton's at the old home - Oct. 1910.

19 Oct. Wednesday. Quite a nice day. Clayton and Patten repairing fence till noon. Men from Xenia coming starting here to see the pumpkining. This afternoon Mr. Elmer Hadden went with Clayton to

a sale. Mr. Mc and I took a drive around the back road past Davey Mc's home. As later Clara and Eva Arthur at Cedarville - Clara taking her present to her up.

20 Oct. Thurs - Cloudy this morning - bright sunshine for awhile and cloudy again. Clayton out all day - six truck loads in the street from Fred called up from E he came in this morning - He was at Hamrick and Jason's when in N.Y. last week - Father and I went to town and brought him out - We were quite surprised indeed for him to come. Word reached here of Mr. David Rankin's death grandfather - he died Tuesday Patten went to Meadway.

C. R.



this morning. Ben finishing up  
the corn cutting.

This evening we left Ben Ervin in charge  
of the home - And Mr. W. C. and Fred  
and Clara and Clayton and I attended  
the wedding of Carl Marshall and  
Fern Ervin - They had quite a company  
Prof. W. Chesney and Dr. Martin performed  
the ceremony. Every thing passed off  
nicely and we had quite an enjoyable  
evening.

21<sup>st</sup> Oct. Friday. Pleasant  
this morning. Mr. W. C. and Clayton  
at town. This afternoon Clayton and  
Walter W. at Charleston at the race.  
Walter here to dinner. They were home  
to supper and Walter with us to night.  
This afternoon Clara and Eva & others  
took the Ellen Little furniture & things  
in Xenia - While there the rain began  
coming down and finally they  
had to leave the express and get a  
buggie to come home in. And helped  
with the supper and dishes in Clara's  
absence. Ben busy to day. Patter returned  
from his trip to Washington C. D. this evening.



At Clayton's at the Dead Horse. Oct. 1910.

22<sup>nd</sup> Oct. Saturday. Pleasant  
after the rain but cool. Ben absent  
Palter harvesting his pumpkins -  
Walter helping this A.M. This afternoon  
he and Clayton at the races again  
this P.M. Fred around lending a helping  
hand - Yesterday evening in Clara's  
absence - he got most of the supper  
and washed the dishes - He had an  
education in this line long ago - and  
when he come to where there was need  
the old spirit revived - in the P.M. - late  
Fred at town - and at the 6.30 train to meet  
Miss Brown she came down from Columbus  
to make of a little visit. Clayton and Walter  
did not home till later.

23<sup>rd</sup> Oct. Sabbath. Quite  
a nice day but cool - Clayton and  
Walter and Fred and Clara and Miss Brown at  
Church. Sermon by Rev Taylor. P. Palter  
and I here with Mr. Mc - dinner ready  
when the folks came home. Uncle  
Joe came home with them.

This afternoon Palter and Fred  
and Miss Brown and Clayton at

the School  
Several of the  
folk were  
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preached.  
24<sup>th</sup>  
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the School house at the Sabbath School  
 Several there. After lunch Patter  
 took Uncle Joe home and attended a  
 Union Service at the M. E. Church.  
 Quite dark and chilly. By McChesney  
 Preached.

24<sup>th</sup> Oct. Monday. Quite a nice  
 day. Clayton at Uncle Hughes hauling  
 gravel. Patter working with Jeff and  
 Ben husking and gathering tomatoes.  
 This morning I went to town and  
 brought out Henrietta Saffron. He began  
 work for us this morning. Clara  
 and Miss Brown around. Fred  
 visiting. This afternoon he was at  
 town he took Aunt Matt up to Sallie  
 McMillans to call. Later he took  
 Aunt Mary around town to do some  
 errands. He was home in time  
 for supper. Clayton and Miss Brown  
 and Clara at the 1st number of  
 the Lecture course.

25<sup>th</sup> Oct. Tuesday. Mr. Mc and I



At Clayton's at the old Horn Oct. 1910  
and Miss Brown drove through the  
woods across the Creek to see the  
jumpkins Ben & Clayton and Patten  
filling the wagons. Patten and Clayton  
took a load to town - two loads this A.M.  
filling a Car for the Kenia Lumber Factory  
at \$3.50 a ton - When we came back

Clayton and Miss Brown went with  
me to town to do some errands -  
This afternoon Fred was out with the  
men awhile - Miss Brown and Clara  
around Hersietta at the wash.

This afternoon Mr. W.C. and I at town  
on a hasty trip. It came up a light  
shower as we were coming home.

Later Fred at the C. & O. train to meet  
Mrs. Joe Marvin from Columbus - She  
and Fred had dinner after they came.  
She and Miss Brown with us to night.

26" Dec. Wed. Quite a  
nice day - but the wind is up and a  
little shower. This morning Fred  
took Miss Brown to the early train  
in Charleston - we certainly had  
a time while she was with us.

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child - and  
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all A.M.  
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and Clara  
to see Cam  
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regretted the  
Mr. W.C.  
and while to  
yesterday  
off the para  
brother her  
Milwaukee

Cool after  
Clayton and  
until



When Fred came back he and Mrs Marvin took a walk to the pumpkin field - and around home by the school house. Mr & Mrs around all Q. W. Clara and Thirietta busy. Ben trucking and Davis Clayton and Patter handling pumpkins to the car.

This afternoon Fred and Mrs Marvin and Clara over at Jamestown calling to see Carrie Carper. While they were away Mr & Mrs Frasier and Mrs Nash came up in their automobile - they regretted the folks being away.

Mr & Mrs at the field with the folks awhile this afternoon - Word rec'd yesterday that Aunt Mary C. W. W. fell off the veranda the other morning and broke her leg - the word came in the Wilmington paper.

24 Oct. Thurs. A nice day but cool after the rain last night - Clayton and Patter busy with the pumpkins until noon. This Q. W. Fred and



At Clayton's at the Old Home - Oct. 1910  
 Mrs Marvin took a long walk - back  
 to the railroad - and up to the crossing  
 at the Old Smith home - and down the  
 hill home. Cora and Henrietta boy.

This afternoon she was not feeling  
 well - Clayton drafted Ben & Davis  
 into the Coal Co's mine and they brought  
 out four tons of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  coal from J. S. Edwin's.

Clayton and Patter stopped there work and  
 went with Fred and Mrs Marvin and me  
 to Dave Hall's to the Cottage prayer meeting  
 Mr Nathan Ramsey there and led the  
 meeting. After the meeting Fred went  
 with Mrs Marvin and me to ~~go~~ to attend  
 to some errands - It seems very much  
 like frost - covered the geraniums &c,  
 Mrs Mac at home this P.M.

Oct 20th Friday. We  
 feel like winter is here - Cold this  
 morning - Snow this afternoon and  
 cold this evening - Clayton and  
 Patter at the pumpkins - Davis there

Afternoon  
 in view  
 the geraniums  
 Ramsey's  
 men  
 and Mrs  
 the office  
 Edward's  
 over to  
 here in the  
 took in  
 Henrietta  
 Miss Mrs  
 Arthur's  
 one time  
 Cold - Clayton  
 Ben work  
 this afternoon  
 down to the  
 Fred truly



afternoon. Clayton and Uncle Hugh over  
in vicinity of Jasper. Ben took up  
the geraniums - and covered the  
panseys - that Fannie planted in  
memory of Parker. This P. M. Fred  
and Mrs Marvin and Clara over at  
the Springs took dinner at the  
Cathart House - and in the P. M. - went  
over to Springfield and reaching  
here in time for supper. They also  
took in the Whitean Reid home  
Hensietta is full charge to day.  
This P. M. Mr. Mc took Hensietta to  
Arthur's on an errand - Every  
one tired to night.

29<sup>th</sup> Feb. Saturday

Cold - Clayton and Potter and David and  
Ben working with the corn and pumpkins  
This afternoon Clayton took Father  
down to town with him. This morning  
Fred took Mrs Marvin to the 7.20 train



At Clayton's at the old Home, Oct-1910.

We certainly enjoyed her little stay with us. Clayton met Sam Hamilton in town, Clara and Henrietta too. This afternoon Fred helped gather specimens for awhile this P.M. It seems like old times to have Fred with us these days. happy happy old times.

30<sup>th</sup> Oct. Sabbath.

Quite a heavy frost last night and it is cold - Potter and Fred, walked to Church - Clayton and I then Henrietta rode down with us. Dr. D. W. Orr began his meetings - His text "He saved others - himself he cannot save".

Fred and Potter rode home with us. Clara had dinner ready when we returned. She and Father here alone this P.M. - Potter holding forth at the School house.

This evening Clayton and Clara and

Fred and Potter  
at our church  
there.

and Clara  
with a lot  
good Sabbath  
home by

at the Dr.  
Potter with

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at home

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on an even

Henrietta  
1<sup>st</sup> Nov  
Fred and



Fred and Patter at the revival services,  
at our church Harrietta came home with  
them.

31st Oct. Monday. Cold. Clayton  
and Clara at Springfield. Davis there  
with a load of Jeunpkins. I had a  
good Jale. Clayton and Clara came  
home by town and slept off day  
at the Dr's meetings. Fred helping  
Patter with the Jeunpkins to day.

This afternoon Fred and I left father  
at Aunt Jeunell's and we attended  
the meeting Dr. Orr's subject prayer.  
We reached home in good time  
this evening. Fred and Patter  
walked into Church. This morning  
Mr. W. and Ben out at Uncle Hugh's  
on an errand - Ben husking this P.M.  
Harrietta boy.

November.

1st Nov Tuesday. Almost cold -  
Fred and Patter out at Uncle



At Clayton at the old Home Nov/9/10  
 Silas at the machine - Fred  
 came back after dinner and  
 went with me to church - Dr  
 Ques subject was Prayer in  
 continuance. Clara and Hersie to  
 buy - Letter from Mrs Denver Williams  
 of Wilmington telling of Aunt  
 Mary's desire for some of us  
 to come. Clara will go in the morning.  
 Mr Mac at home today. Clayton  
 taking sheep to the Common Sale to  
 be sold. This evening he and Potter  
 and Fred and Clara at the  
 Revival Service -

2<sup>nd</sup> Nov Wednesday. Quite  
 a nice day - not so cool. This  
 morning Fred and Clara went  
 over to ~~Spring~~ Spring and went  
 from there on trolley to Spring  
 to see Dr Minor - Clara left

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 See Mary  
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 to see Dr  
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at two o'clock for Columbus to  
 see Mary and children and also Miss  
 Brown - In the morning she  
 will go on the early train to Wilmington  
 to see Aunt Mary E. who is in sad  
 condition with her broken leg.

Fred got back here about four  
 o'clock - Davis and Ben bustling  
 Clayton busy all A.M. This afternoon  
 at C - for a load of coal he got

He stopped off at the  
 church and heard Dr. W. W. Orr -  
 We went with me to town  
 and stopped with Aunt Janette.  
 While I attended the meeting. We  
 met Ex Congress man Jones in  
 town. Patter gathering pumpkins  
 this P.M. - This evening he and  
 Fred and Clayton at the meeting -  
 Henrietta went down home to stay  
 while they were at church and come back  
 with them



At Clayton sat the old Home. Nov. 1910

3rd Nov - Thursday. Clayton went to the field but did not remain long. At noon Dr Anderson called and came in and took dinner with us. This afternoon Fred and Clayton and Mr Mc and I at the F. R. Church to hear Dr Orr. His subject the Fof-ular Sin of the town - "Neglect of duty."

This evening Fred walked to town - later Clayton drove down to the Orr meeting. David and Ben gathering folatans - This afternoon Patter at Kyle's helping to thrash. Henrietta busy.

4th Nov. Friday. Rather chilly. Clayton busy all day. Fred at town and brought Geo Shrodel out to do some repairing and took him back.

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Fred Shrodel  
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Church to the  
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This Q. M. Patter at Kyles again until  
 this afternoon. Ben & Dan's at  
 the ~~Hotel~~ - Fred and Mr. Mc- and  
 I went the back way to town and  
 Fred stopped at the tower about his  
 message. I. and went to the N. R.  
 Church to the Orr meeting. His text  
 "They that wait on the Lord shall  
 renew their strength - they shall  
 mount up on wings as eagles &  
 He spoke of the wings of a Christian  
 one was Consecration and the other  
 Trust - He said we could soar far  
 up above the cares and sorrows  
 and temptation of life on these  
 wings - get so far up that the  
 fary of the world looks like  
 a speck - and the farther you



At Clayton at the old Home Nov-1910  
you got above the world the  
Smaller and Smaller it appeared-

Fred got a call to be in Chicago tomorrow  
and he left on the seven o'clock train  
we have got so spoiled with him here  
that it seems hard to have him go.

He went to the train when Clayton  
and Davis & Patter went to church. Fred  
invited Davis to go Second by Clayton  
hence he went.

5. Nov. Sat. A cloudy cool  
day. Clayton and Patter hauling corn  
and Davis husking.

Mr. W.C. and I at home all day  
Berietta busy. This evening  
Clayton not feeling very well  
Patter at church alone. After  
the down train came in a telephone  
message from Clara and Miss Brown

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at home  
up to the  
service  
it is done

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all there  
by Dr. W.C.  
and Miss  
home with  
go - Please  
this evening  
the folks  
a meeting



that they ~~had~~ arrived - they stopped  
at Jimm's for supper and went  
off to the H. P. Church to the revival  
service and came out with Patten.  
It is dark and cold to night.

6<sup>th</sup> Nov. Sabbath. Rather  
Cold - Miss Brown and Clara awaked  
up here this morning - Fred  
awakened off in Xenia - and came  
off and attended the Revival meeting  
in the Opera house. The church  
all there - The house full. Sermon  
by Dr. W. W. Orr - Clara and Patten  
and Miss Brown there. Fred came  
home with them. Clayton did not  
go - Pleasanton there and will return  
this evening. Dinner ready when  
the folks came back. There was  
a meeting for the mass this



At Clayton at the old home Nov. 1910  
 afternoon at three o'clock. Fred  
 and Clayton drove to Kern place  
 for myself and took David with  
 them from the tenant house.  
 Patter walked down. This Evening  
 Clayton & Patter at the meeting -  
 but Fred remained at home.

Nov. Fred went to  
 the early train and met Homer - he  
 was in Covington Ky - yesterday. Clara and  
 Miss Brown busy. Henrietta came last  
 night and is busy to day. This after-  
 noon Mr Mc and Miss Brown and I at  
 town. Mr Mc stopped with Aunt Malt  
 and Jeanette and Miss Brown and  
 I attended the childrens meeting  
 at the Opera House Addressed by W. W  
 Orr. This evening Fred and Clayton  
 and Clara and Miss Brown and  
 Patter at the meeting. Homer

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 invited to  
 to day - but  
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 baptize  
 was called  
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went to town with them and went  
off to Cole on the ~~Delaware~~ train  
Patten and Clayton boy - and Ben  
and Davis husking.

8<sup>th</sup> Nov Tuesday, Quite  
a nice day. This is election day -  
The highest office Governor. "He" were  
invited to Dr. Plunkett & Columbus  
to day - but Fred not feeling so  
well I was left to go alone -  
They had a little meeting invited  
in to baptise Horner and Mary  
No 3. As follows - Dr & Mrs  
Palmer - Dr and Mrs Whitel  
of New Ark - and Mrs John Plunk  
of Panimonic Cal - Dr Palmer  
baptized only No 3 - and he  
was called Hugh Frederic - Hugh  
is for his great great great  
Grand father Hugh MacCallan -



At Clayton at the Old Home Nov-1910

It was a beautiful impressive Ceremony and baby Hugh Frederic is surely a promising and a lovely baby - and I feel sure he has a world to do and has come to make the world better - I do feel sure of this although I will not be here to be here to see it.

They served a fine dinner - and we certainly had an enjoyable time. This evening Homer took me to the train - and Fred met me here at Cedarville - and we came direct home. Clara and Clayton at Church this evening. Mr. Mc and Fred and Clara and Miss Brown at town this afternoon - the two later attended the meeting at the Opera house for ladies - of women only addressed

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and then  
took them to  
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Dr. Hunt a  
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H. Coleman  
and Mary  
for Stanton  
have their  
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Company  
Clara and  
Miss Brown  
her Co



by Dr. W. W. Orr. Father took me to the train this morning. He went to Springfield this P.M.

9<sup>th</sup> Nov. Wed. Rather a nice day. Clayton took Miss Brown and Fred to the early train for Columbus. Homer and Dr. Hunt met Fred and went with him to New Ark. Dr. Mitchell met them with his Automobile and took them to his home. Mrs. Mitchell had a nice lunch for them. Dr. Mitchell and Dr. Hunt diagnosed his case - and prescribed for him. They got back to Columbus this P.M. and Homer and Mary and the children left for Atlanta at four o'clock. They have their home 268 Asbury Street rented - and they for sale of the Company have rented a flat. Clara went to the train to meet Miss Brown and Fred - they took her conveyance and came



At Clayton's at the old Home Nov. 1910.  
 direct home - And Clara went to  
 the Opera house to the Orr meetings  
 Clayton went down later.

They had supper here when they came.  
 Fred beginning his new medicine -

Clayton at Uncle Hugh's but  
 was there to dinner -

Ben Trucking and Davis.

This P.M. Davis helping with  
 Cementer Clara writing letters  
 Henrietta at her work.

I feel lonely to know that Homers  
 are on the train going from  
 us to night - We had planned for  
 them to stop here - but that is just  
 now for they have gone.

10<sup>th</sup> Nov. Thursday  
 Cool - Ben and Davis at the  
 Car. Peter returned from Spring  
 field last night - This P.M.

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Potter and I at the Opera house  
 at the Orr meeting - Mr W<sup>r</sup>  
 Stayed with Aunt Jeannette.  
 This afternoon Uncle Hugh went  
 with Clayton to Clinton Co - for  
 Stock. Uncle Hugh's house struck  
 with lightning this morning & although  
 there was not much  
 damaged done they were  
 dreadfully frightened - Clara  
 and Miss Brown around to day.  
 Miss B - taking care of Fred -  
 he has been in bed all day.

This evening Potter walked  
 into town to the Orr meeting.  
 We are lonely here to night with  
 out Clayton.



St. Clayton at the Old Home Nov. 1910

11<sup>th</sup> Nov - Friday. A cloudy day -  
quite cool - Davis hauling  
in corn - he and Ben husking  
this afternoon. Patter took the  
Children and the teacher Miss Duff  
to the Orr meeting - 16 Children  
they went in the big wagon -  
All the Schools in the Township  
and the teachers there. Guel  
Hugh and Clayton returned from  
their trip this P.M. - in time  
to attend the meeting -  
Miss Drown taking care of Fred -  
He has kept his bed since he  
came from Columbus -  
Henrietta at her work Clara

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Nov 19/10  
 busy - This evening she and  
 Henrietta and Clayton and Peter  
 at church.

12<sup>th</sup> Nov. Saturday.  
 A cold cloudy day. Clayton at  
 town & brought Clinton Co. Sheep  
 from the train and repaired for  
 the pump in Celbas - He also  
 brought Geo Shrodes out to  
 do the repairing - but had  
 bad luck - will have to try  
 it over again. Clayton took  
 him back to town. Clara  
 and Henrietta busy. Fred  
 has been in bed to day again  
 Miss Brown taking care  
 of him - the wife around.



Nov 1910.

At Clayton of the old Home  
 of usual. Potter handling  
 in Corn Davis husking - Ben  
 left early for Xenia this A.M. -

On yesterday Clayton called  
 to see Aunt Mary & - when  
 passing through Wilmington.

13<sup>th</sup> Nov. Sabbath  
 Quite a nice day. Potter and  
 Clara and Clayton of our  
 Church this morning -  
 Sermon by D. & Q. - See the  
 Church there - The house  
 full to overflowing - They  
 had quite a heart to heart  
 meeting at the close



Very Personal.

Clayton and Clara went home with Aunt Bells to dinner to be ready

for the afternoon meeting. Peter came home to dinner

and went back to church.

Dr. Orr preached in the D. J. Sera house.

This evening Clara went back to Aunt Bells to be ready for the night

meeting. The meeting

close this evening

Mr. McE and I here - also



At Clayton at the Old Home Nov. 1910  
 Miss Brown She is taking  
 care of Fred He has been  
 in bed to day again - This has  
 been most a beautiful Evening  
 if it is much warmer.

14<sup>th</sup> Nov Monday.  
 Clayton at town on a hasty  
 trip this morning. He  
 thought here they were selecting  
 sheep - He was with  
 me to dinner. This has  
 been a cloudy day.

Clayton took Miss Brown to the  
 train - Fred still in bed  
 Clara taking care of



Lison - we will Miss  
 Brown. Herrietta  
 at her work - I have  
 been feeling badly to  
 day - and this evening  
 I have felt very much  
 discouraged to day.

Ben and David at  
 the husking.

This evening Clayton  
 at town to see Walter  
 and Ralph - he is going  
 to go to Jason & and Frank

On Friday, Peter went down and brought  
 Aunt Mary out to see you. Clayton took her home.



At Dayton at the Old Home. Nov-1910.

This has been a  
Cloudy day. Fred has  
been in bed most of the day  
He expected to have gone  
to Chicago this evening  
and meet Dr. Hunt in

Columbus but the  
program was changed.  
And he does not go until  
Friday. Father around  
as usual - Her sister  
Judy, Davis and Ben  
at the husking -

This afternoon Ralph



Nov-19/10.  
 was here helping Fred repair  
 the crib - I awakened off  
 sick this morning  
 and have been in bed  
 to day - Clara taking Miss

Brown's place. - I prepare  
 meals she is quite efficient -  
 and that is saying good deal.  
 15th Nov Tuesday.

I awakened off sick - I have  
 been in bed to day. Uncle  
 Thomas here most of  
 the day - he was here to dinner  
 Fred has been in bed most  
 of the day - Clara and



At Clayton at the Old Home Nov 15<sup>th</sup>  
 Henrietta Ensign & others  
 having car.

David & Ben back.  
 Uncle Hugh here but went  
 home before dinner.

Mr McAsmond as usual  
~~Clayton~~ has come in he  
 says Uncle Hugh was not  
 here this A.M.

16<sup>th</sup> Nov. Wednesday

Cloudy day - Uncle Hugh  
 here awhile this A.M.

This afternoon  
 Clayton up at Beddins  
 at a sale -



Potter and Davis & Ben at the  
Carr—

Henrietta and Clara busy

This evening Fred went  
to town and stopped at Aunt  
Magg's while Clayton went  
to Dr. Dix's office to have  
his teeth repaired—

14<sup>th</sup> Nov Thursday

A gloomy day. Fred out  
with Clayton driving  
hogs most of the day.  
Without my knowledge  
he wired for Dr. Hunt to come  
on the half past three  
fast train—also made



I (Clayton) at the old home Nov 1918  
 arrangements for a nurse  
 to come in the morning. When  
 he went for the Dr he called  
 for Aunt Mary and brought  
 her out. After supper the  
 Dr went to the train with  
 Patter and Aunt Mary is  
 with us to night.

Mr H is around as usual.  
 Thersilla and Clara  
 busy as usual.

Davis & Ben at the  
 Corn - Patter busy  
 handling in.

They have had a busy day



18 Nov Friday Bright Sunshine part  
 of the day - Cloudy the rest -  
 This morning Clayton took  
 Fred to the train - he goes to  
 Chicago - Miss Clara Roberts - train  
 nurse came down on the  
 Columbus train and came  
 out with him and has been  
 doing every thing for me  
 to day. Aunt Mary was with  
 me last night but she went  
 down with the folks this  
 morning.

This afternoon spoke for  
 Came. He attended Martha Dona  
 Jackson funeral this



At Clayton at the Old Home Nov 1910-  
 morning. She has been a widow  
 for some time. She had a beautiful home  
 plenty of money and diamonds—but  
 with all she had a bad case of  
 rheumatism—has been in bed eleven  
 years—when he release came.

Rev Mills & Taylor called  
 this afternoon.

Davis and Ben Hushing—Peter  
 hauling corn.

Clara and Henrietta Bray.  
 Miss Roberts with me to night.

19<sup>th</sup> Nov. Saturday.

Bright & Sunshine today. Clara  
 at town to visit Fred but  
 he failed to come. She attracted

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To some business and brought  
 George Shrodes out - He and Clayton  
 working in the field in the  
 cellar until noon & message  
 from Fred that the fast train  
 stopped for him - but he  
 went to Aunt Mary's boarding  
 house for dinner this afternoon  
 George Shrodes and father drove  
 down and Fred came out with  
 father. Clara and Henrietta and  
 Miss Roberts here with me - and  
 has given me every attention - She  
 made a liniment for my Rheumatism  
 as follows One 4th part Ammonia and  
 four parts Olive Oil - it dissolved &  
 mixed into a thick white Cream.



At Clayton at the old home Nov. 1910

When the joints are stiff & sore and  
limbers them up. Clayton and Patter at town  
Davis husking

20<sup>th</sup> Nov. Sabbath. A beautiful  
Sabbath. Mr Mc and Clayton and I were alone.  
Fred and Clara and Miss Roberts here at  
church - Sermon by Rev Taylor Several  
of the new converts baptized. Henrietta  
rode down home with them.  
They soon had dinner when they came  
back.

This afternoon noon at two Sabbath. Clayton  
and Fred and Miss Roberts and Patter  
at the school house. Sermon by Prof  
Mc Chesney. They had quite a good  
audience. As they came home Prof Chesney  
and Roy Henderson came into Dec  
more. This evening Patter at church  
Henrietta came home with him

21<sup>st</sup> Nov Monday. Patter



price day. There is an end to all things  
 they say and the time did come  
 for Clayton to gather his feet case  
 and say good by and start to New  
 York to see Edith and his clan  
 there. Fred started with him to the  
 Springs but he found a convey-  
 ance at Clifton going that way and  
 he took advantage of that - and they  
 came back just Cedarville home.  
 In the mean time when Patten took  
 Clayton's trunk to E. Miss Clara Roberts  
 took advantage of seat and went  
 to the train to Columbus she has been  
 here since Friday morning and  
 has been everything to me -  
 & Fred checked Clayton's trunk  
 through while there.

This afternoon Fred took father  
 through the fields by R. R. and home



At Clayton At the old Home Nov-1910  
 and later in the P.M. - they went  
 to town. Davis at Springfield with  
 a load of pumpkins - he met  
 Fred there. Potter Dr. Chores Dr.  
 Skensie's put in a full day  
 at the house cleaning. Clara  
 took charge of the kitchen - I  
 have been in bed and up and  
 down all day - but gradually coming  
 back to life

21<sup>st</sup> Nov. Tuesday - Quite a nice  
 day. Fred and Clara went on the  
 ten O'clock car from the Springs  
 to Springfield to see Dr. Minor -  
 Fred <sup>tried to</sup> get his glasses today but failed.  
 They did not get home until  
 after four. Potter hauled a load



of corn at noon - This afternoon Patter  
 at town and brought out a small load of  
 coal. and took the washing to Jaffens.  
 Henrietta taking care of the  
 wool to day. I went down <sup>stairs</sup> for  
 dinner and supper - I have been  
 in bed awhile to day. Ben & Davis  
 and his father husking. Mr Mc  
 up and down all day -

22<sup>nd</sup> Nov. Wed. Fred and  
 Mr Mc at town this morning  
 After they returned Fred went  
 with Patter for corn - but a slight  
 shower came on. This afternoon  
 they tried it again and succeeded.  
 Davis and Ben husking.

Clara and Henrietta busy all  
 day - for tomorrow is Thanksgiving



At Clayton at the Old Home Nov-1910  
 Late this P.M. - Fred and Mr. W. C.  
 at town again. Henrietta's Sister  
 Edna came out with them  
 and is here to night - I have  
 stirred around a good deal  
 to day.

24<sup>th</sup> Nov. Thursday - Thanksgiving  
 day. Cloudy - but little Sunshine.  
 Some way Fred and Clara got started  
 wrong and were not at Church Union  
 Service Rev James McElishe preaching.

Fred at C- and brought Uncle Joe  
 out. Later Uncle Hugh and Margaret  
 and Howard and Mabel and Walter  
 and Aunt Mary here from the church.  
 Clara assisted by Henrietta and  
 Edna stood for the dinner.

Ben and Patter here - Quite a

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rice dinner served - Henrietta  
and Edna went to doings at their  
church this evening. Uncle Joe  
and Walter remained with us to  
lunch - Sent Mary with us to  
night - Mr. McGehee seemed unusually  
well this evening.

We did not forget Paul  
to day - This time last year he was  
with us - but now he is gone. When  
I awakened this morning I remembered  
that this was his first Thanksgiving  
in heaven - as well as his first  
Thanksgiving day away from us -  
but everything is pointing to eternity  
the separation can not be long -  
at most.

25<sup>th</sup> Nov. Friday. A beautiful  
day but chilly - At an early hour



At Claytons at the old Home - Nov. 1910.

And took Aunt Mary down and brought Henrietta out - And went with Patter for carn. Near noon of Columbus the man here to see And in Clayton's absence -

Davis and Ben at the Smiths Patter faithful hauling in this P.M. - Mr. Mc has a vest here by the grate which he seems to appreciate - This afternoon And and Clara at our church at the opening of the Communion Service. Sermon Rev Taylor - Prof McChesney had their daughter Frances baptised today.

26<sup>th</sup> Nov. Saturday.

And at town on errands for the



family this morning. Potter and Ben and Davis, from tenant house, Gray Heriella and Clara Gray to day.

W. H. C. around. This afternoon I went with Fred to church. Dr.

Pett preached. Text "This is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith." There is not any defeat to those who take Christ for their leader.

Fred around with Walter awhile. The sermon very helpful to day.

27<sup>th</sup> Nov Sabbath. Yesterday it was bright Sunshine but this morning brought drizzling rain and cold. I was afraid to take any risk in going to church - Fred Potter and Clara there. Harrietta rode down with them. This was our Communion Sabbath.



At Clayton at the old home - Nov 19/10

Prof W. Chesney preached. There were  
 many like united with the church - the  
 spirits of the Revival. We were sorry  
 that Clayton and Edith were away to-  
 day. Ben Irwin with father and me  
 Aunt Moll came home with the  
 folks here to dinner. This afternoon  
 she took charge of the class at the  
 Sabbath School at the School House  
 Clayton and Patter there. Several  
 folks out. This Evening Patter  
 took her <sup>Aunt Moll</sup> down. Rev Sproul preaching  
 at our church - This is a disagreeable  
 Evening.

28<sup>th</sup> Nov Monday. A chilly  
 gloomy day. Fred and Patter on  
 the program. Ben & David from  
 tenant house husbanding.



Clara on Sick list Henrietta  
 at the well - I have been  
 in bed most of the day with head  
 ache - Late this P.M. - Mr. McE and Fred  
 at town - Not a very pleasant  
 evening. Patter brought coal from Kerr &

Hastings 13 hundred lbs. <sup>the "he thinks"</sup>  
 29<sup>th</sup> Nov. Tuesday - Cloudy  
 without a ray of sunshine - with  
 a few flakes of snow falling.

Fred at town this morning  
 returned near noon. This  
 afternoon he and Mr. McE at  
 town again. Patter busy with  
 the stock and with the corn.  
 Ben and David at the  
 hubbing - Henrietta and  
 Clara busy. I have not



At Clayton at the Old Home Nov-1910  
 got back to life, yet don't  
 feel much better than I did  
 yesterday - Dr. Stuart and Mr. Fitch  
 called to see Fred when passing  
 to talk investments in gas &c

30<sup>th</sup> Nov. Wednesday.  
 Blowing and snowing and  
 quite disagreeable - Fred  
 and Patten with the stock are  
 P.M. Jarvis & Ben husking.  
 Clara and Henrietta crop.

I am still improving  
 slowly - Letter from the folks -  
 Jason and Nellie and Phreda and  
 Clayton and Edith and Miss  
 Brown took Thanksgiving

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 and Hans  
 Halden  
 day before  
 Miss Brown  
 too to table  
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 health for  
 He have all

1<sup>st</sup> Dec. Thursday  
 Blowing and  
 Hilda Hughes  
 said when  
 he remember  
 away and  
 would be



at Flushing with Mrs. McLaughlin  
and Sammie and Donald and  
Malcolm <sup>father McLaughlin</sup> Donald returned the  
day before from Williams College -  
Miss Brown arrived there the day previous  
to to take charge of father McLaughlin.  
he has been in very miserable  
health for some months.

We have all kept close to home to day.

December.

1<sup>st</sup> Dec. Thursday. Another winter day -  
Blowing and snowing and drifting.

Uncle Hugh here this morning. He  
said when he awakened this morning  
he remembered that Clayton was  
away and the lambs in field by R.R.  
would be needing extra feed. It



At Clayton at the Old Home Dec. 1910  
 being too cold to hurry Davis  
 came to the rescue this morning  
 as Fred was planning to leave  
 for New York to night. But later  
 his plans have been changed. Ben  
 around. Uncle Hugh here to dinner.  
 Clara and Henrietta Bray.  
 Potter Bray from morning until  
 night.

Late this afternoon Fred  
 went to the office and took  
 Mr. W. C. to town.

Potter at town on errands  
 this forenoon.

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here. Fred was not feeling so well again this morning.

2<sup>nd</sup> Dec. Friday. Snow on the ground - and Cold - This morning early Fred took Clara to train - She sent Mrs C - in Xenia and went to Dayton with her. Uncle Hugh here until after dinner helping to arrange about the Street. Davis here these days too - Patten busy. Ben around - This afternoon Fred took Mrs Mcs with him to town. They made a hasty trip.

Henrietta got along nicely with the work.

This evening Fred was -



At Dayton at the Old Home. Dec. 1910  
 at the train for Clara - It  
 did not come until eight.  
 Clear -

3<sup>rd</sup> Dec. Sat. Snow on the  
 ground quite a winter day.  
 Patten took Fred to the morning  
 train - he was hoping he would  
 meet Mr. Lettmore in X - and have  
 his company to Chicago to day.  
 Uncle Hugh here and finished  
 his work with the sheep - he was  
 here until after dinner. He expects  
 to stop in C - to see Uncle Ervin  
 Davis here looking after Stacey  
 assisted by Patten.  
 Ben Ervin went to Xenia



to day. Mr Mac around the fire &c  
all day. Henrietta and Clara  
busy. We have missed Fred to day.  
it is some time without him.

4<sup>th</sup> Dec. Sabbath - It  
snowed a little last night - it is  
a real winter day. Patten and  
Clara at church. Henrietta went  
down home. Mr Mac and  
I here alone. This afternoon  
Patten at the School house at  
the Sabbath School. This eve-  
ning he went to Church.

Henrietta came out with him.

Rev Taylor preached to day.  
that the one journeying unto



St Clayton at the old home Dec. 1910  
 the ~~the~~ place of which the Lord  
 said I will give it to you -

Come thou with us, and we  
 will do thee good: for the Lord  
 hath spoken good concerning  
 Ophrah. "Ben here this Evening."

5<sup>th</sup> Dec. Monday. A cold  
 day - Snow on the ground.

Davis and Ben husking. Potter  
 taking care of the stock and  
 bringing in corn.

This afternoon Clara and Henrietta  
 at town - there was not any  
 one else to go -

We were around as usual -  
 The Springfield wagon here the 2<sup>nd</sup> time this Evening

Clara  
 day, the  
 ground the  
 the east-  
 the corn  
 Stephen  
 Chicago la  
 here at  
 Potter men  
 taking  
 order of the  
 late the  
 I had at  
 don't fear  
 at home  
 A case in  
 having



6<sup>th</sup> Dec. Inf. Another winter day. The snow still on the ground - the wind coming from the east - too cold for Ben in the corn field this afternoon.

A telephone from Fred - he left Chicago last night and got in here at 8<sup>th</sup> this morning. Potter went down after him - taking care of the Street the order of the day.

Late this P.M. - Mr. W. & Mr. J. at C - the former at Aunt Jeanette and the latter at Uncle Edwin - They have a case in Court - and are having their own trouble.



At Clayton Sal the old home Dec. 1910.

Y. Dec. Wed. This is winter indeed  
 Snow on the ground - a cold cloudy  
 day - the wind blowing - Fred took  
 Clara to the train. She went over  
 to spend a day or two with Mr &  
 Carper. She is in the dress making  
 business. He reached home  
 near noon - This afternoon  
 he is out helping with the  
 stock. David and Ben around  
 and Patten. A letter from Clayton  
 they expect to start home tomorrow.  
 We have had a long time with  
 out Edith. The Embroidery Club  
 has been asking when she would



be home.

8<sup>th</sup> Dec. Thurs. Another winter day. Ben trying to work in the corn. Clara still absent at Jarrington. Henrietta at the work - Peter and David's boy. Fred on the program - This afternoon he and father of town. It is so cold every one keeping in vicinity of the fire.

9<sup>th</sup> Dec. Friday. Still our snow on the ground - and winter weather still here. Every body busy. Ben at the corn - Peter and Fred busy all Q. W.

This afternoon the wife and <sup>Fred</sup> Blyton over at the Spring & to



At Clayton at the old home. Dec. 19/0

met Clayton and Edith - they  
arrived in Springfield at  
two o'clock coming in on  
the Old Erie Road from New York.  
Edith has been gone since the  
twelfth of September and  
Clayton since the 21st of Nov -

They have had a delightful  
visit. They reached here in  
time for supper - We were  
all delighted to see them.

Henrietta making a bright  
mark at the work.

Sibbie Davis called to see  
us this P.M. - I gave Miss Brown

present to her  
Brown as  
gave her a  
brother.  
at town.  
Hudson City.  
day - and  
arrived a  
very sensible  
that Jean  
Cold wind  
to the P. Del  
Across from  
in Union  
Plans to stay  
to return



Sweater to her - the red one - as Miss Brown asked me to do. I also gave her a doily - for her self and brother. This Evening Patten at home. A letter from Harlan at Mason City. The 7<sup>th</sup> was Jeannette's birth day - and on that day a little sister arrived at their home - something very unusual - but something that seemed very pleasant.

10<sup>th</sup> Dec. Sat. Another cold winter day. Patten took Fred to the 7<sup>th</sup> Decoet train. Clara was coming across from Janesville to meet him in Xenia - to go with him to Columbus. Clara to stay a few days but Fred to return in the Evening.



At Clapton at the old Home Dec. 19/0.  
 I was mistaken about Potter taking  
 Fred down - he went alone and  
 left the buggy with George Groves  
 and he came out to do some  
 repairing - and told  
 him home. Clapton and Edith  
 beginning where they left off -  
 Henrietta boy. Mr. W. around  
 and I have been employed  
 as usual.

This is the night of the  
 lecture - but Clapton not  
 feeling well he and Edith  
 decided not to go. Potter took  
 the buggy down for Fred

but they Co  
 for the b  
 home

since  
 and Edith

sermon by  
 rode down  
 church

W. and

Simon and

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but they concluded to remain  
for the lecture - and come  
home at a later hour.

11<sup>th</sup> Dec: Sabbath  
A nice winter day. Clayton  
and Edith and Fred at church  
Sermon by Mr Taylor. Henrietta  
rode down with them to her  
church. Father here with Mr  
W & me. Edith had the  
linner arranged so it was  
ready when they got home.

This afternoon - Father at  
the Sabbath School.

This evening at Church  
Henrietta came home with  
him. Ben here this evening.



At Clayton at the old Home Dec. 1910.

12<sup>th</sup> Dec. Monday. Another  
winter day. David and Ben at  
the corner Fred around all  
A.M. - Among the street - This  
afternoon Peter and Mr. Mc at  
town - the later calling at  
Sister Mallets.

Clayton out at Arch Hughes  
helping to take the Edwin  
hogs to market. Clara still  
in Columbus.

Herrick at the market  
Edith put in a full  
day placing her goods

when the  
winter day  
Clayton look  
Peter out  
and Herrick  
This afternoon  
at town  
at a choir  
called the  
It is clear  
Ben with  
at the corner  
winter. The  
last a  
Home



when the trunk came in  
 13<sup>th</sup> Dec. Tuesday. Another cold  
 winter day. Fred around with  
 Clayton looking after the stock and  
 Patter out with them also. Edith  
 and Henrietta Gray.

This afternoon Fred and Mr. Mc-  
 at town. This evening Patter  
 at a choir meeting. Uncle Hugh  
 called this afternoon.

It is clear and this evening.  
 Ben with us - He and David  
 at the corn.

14<sup>th</sup> Dec. Wednesday - Still  
 winter. The snow sticking at  
 last at even.

Thomas left Stanton yesterday



At Clayton of the old Home. Dec. 18/10  
 Evening at 5 o'clock - and  
 Fred met him at the Springs  
 and they were home to a 6 o'clock  
 dinner - Clayton around  
 at his work. Ben and David at  
 the corn. This afternoon Clayton  
 and Edith at town. The Farmers  
 Institute in session - but they  
 did not attend as they had other  
 things to look after - Father at  
 Kerr and Hastings for coal this  
 A.M. but took advantage of his  
 earners to the meeting and was  
 there both this P.M. and this  
 afternoon. Fred and Clayton



and Homer around. Later Clayton  
and Edith went back to town  
to the meeting - They are having  
quite a full program for this  
Evening. Edith called to see  
the King folks this afternoon  
when in L - Henrietta taking care  
of the work.

15<sup>th</sup> Dec. Thurs. Another  
winter day, the snow still on the  
ground. Fred and Clayton and Homer  
around. This A. M. Clayton at town  
he took dinner with Aunt Jeanette  
and Aunt Matt. He attended the  
Farmers Institute this was their  
closing day. This afternoon  
Homer and father at



At Clayton I at the old Home Dec. 1910  
 town this afternoon - The farmer  
 to see the his folks - the farmer  
 to see Aunt Nell.

Henrietta busy, Edith busy  
 too. This afternoon Potter and  
 Fred bringing in Corn.

This Evening all at home.

16<sup>th</sup> Dec. Friday. Still  
 cold - and the old snow keeping  
 its place. Ben and David & Mary at  
 the Corn. Potter and Clayton and  
 Fred busy with the stock.  
 Homer with us.

This afternoon Mr. W. and  
 Fred took him to the S. Springs

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 Atlanta  
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 lost the  
 Redwill  
 of full bl  
 they stop  
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 near Jan  
 1833



he goes to Kansas City and  
Oklahoma - will not be back to  
Atlanta until Xmas.

Fred and father came home  
lost the Gravel mill and  
Cedarville - they made a purchase  
of full blooded Buckwheat flour.  
They stopped at the Quent in

— reached here about

dark. Edith and Thirietta put  
in a full afternoon taking off  
the kitchen paper to be ready  
for a new one in the

near future. This is the 4<sup>th</sup> of July - day.  
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At Clayton at the Old Home Dec. 1910

Th. Dec. Saturday - Still  
the Old Snow - and Cold. Ben  
absent - Davis at the corner  
Clayton and Patten and Fred all  
drop. Mr. Mc around as usual.  
This afternoon Mrs. Esther came and made  
us a nice little visit - Also Mr. J. K. Orr  
and Mr. Redpath from J. Carter.  
Late this P.M. Clayton and Cora at  
town. Clayton & See Dr. Marsh - They  
took supper with Aunt Jennette  
and Aunt Mabel - and went to the  
Delaware train for Clara - She had  
been at Mrs. Manning in Columbus  
since last Saturday the eleventh.

Clara came  
and Clay  
Jennette  
Brighton

quite so  
day, the  
Patten and  
Church -  
with them  
at home

Ann  
with the  
Dorcas  
This afternoon



Clara came out with Edith  
and Clayton came out with Davis.  
Henrietta busy to day bathing &  
Bright moon light these nights.

18<sup>th</sup> Dec Sabbath. Not  
quite so cold — a very cloudy  
day. The snow disappearing —  
Patten and Edith and Clara at  
church — Henrietta went down  
with them. Fred and Clayton  
at home with us and Mr. W.

Aunt Mary came home  
with the folks from church.  
Dinner ready when they came.  
This afternoon Clayton & Davis



At Clayton at the Old Home Dec. 1900  
 Spent a good deal of time  
 getting Mr. Elmer Haddis horse  
 of that fell on the ice.

Patter at the school house  
 at the Sabbath School alone.

It is so rough Patter ~~failed~~  
 to get to Church. Ben here this Evening

19<sup>th</sup> Dec. Monday

It rained a very little last  
 night. Snow nearly all gone.

Davis and Ben at the  
 husking. Fred around with

Potter and Clayton looking  
 after the Quilt. Patter and

town and  
 out. The

and Edith

Joseph

noon

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to day. I

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evening



town and brought Henrietta  
out. This afternoon she and Clara  
and Edith finished taking the  
paper off the kitchen. This after-  
noon I have been writing - sent  
Mary with us last night and  
to day. Late this afternoon  
when Fred and Mr. Mc went  
to town she went down home  
with them. After supper Fred  
and Patten at town on an  
errand for Uncle Corvin.

20<sup>th</sup> Dec. Friday. Moderate  
a little but still cold - It has  
been snowing all afternoon and  
evening. Fred around helping



At the old home at  
Clayton S. — Dec. 1910.

helping Potter and Clayton  
with the stock. This afternoon — Clayton  
at the sale of Ervin's Run by the  
Mather Bros of Cincinnati.

Aunt Mary came home with  
him this evening and is with  
us to night — Edith and Clara  
at Springfield — took dinner  
on Lime Stone St. were home nearly  
dark — Henrietta at the wood —  
everything going fine.

Ben and Davis at the  
husking. Mr. Mc around as  
usual. It has been too cold  
for him to stay out long at a  
time.



We had a letter from Annie.  
Miss Brown is still there.

21<sup>st</sup> Dec. Wednesday. Moderated  
a little on Mr. Emery here papering the  
kitchen and bath room - But will be back  
to finish his job tomorrow. This  
afternoon Mr. & Mrs. went with Fred  
on a hasty trip to town.

Later he went back with  
Clayton.

Aunt Mary with us to day.

Henrietta busy.

Edith and Clara getting off their

Xmas presents.

I do not have any to get off



St Clayton at the Old Home Dec. 1910.

Ben and Davis at the husking.  
This is the frostiest day of the  
year —

21<sup>st</sup> Dec. Thursday. Another  
winter day — a light snow on the  
ground. When Fred and Patten left  
for Dayton — Aunt Mary went with  
them and stopped off at her home  
to be ready to attend the Missionary  
Society this afternoon.

Fred and Patten went over on  
the train to Dayton — Aunt  
Mary came back with  
them this evening —

Letter of  
of choir  
Clayton  
word a  
manuscript  
Corn  
the wo  
boy, the  
A snow  
freeing  
day — M  
for home  
Clayton  
School



Patton at town this evening  
of choir practice -

Clayton and David made a  
Record at hauling corn and  
manure to day. Ben at the  
Corn husking. Henrietta at  
the work - Edith and Clara  
broy. The Mac around of usua.

11 Dec. Friday -

A snow from the North kept  
falling a good deal of the  
day - Near noon Ben left  
for home. David's helping  
Clayton. Patton visited the  
School this P.M. Miss Shiff



At Clayton at the Old Home Dec. 1910 -  
 Closing her school for the  
 holiday vacation. This morning  
 Miss Lula Henderson called to see  
 me. Charlie Ballkin arrived  
 this A.M. by way of Clifton.  
 This afternoon Fred and  
 Clayton of Cedarville -  
 Walter H. called this A.M.  
 Aunt Mary with us  
 today. When she and Fred  
 are both gone we will  
 certainly feel that we  
 are forsaken.

Every the paper hanger

finished  
 and back  
 put in  
 Glen  
 and Ed  
 Potter  
 this  
 around  
 Fred  
 Aunt M  
 night  
 Snow - a  
 of the  
 and Chase



finished his work in kitchen  
and bath room - All  
put in a full day.

Glennietta and Clara  
and Edith Gray.

Potter at choir practice  
this evening. Mr. W.  
around all day -

Fred and Charley B. and  
Aunt Mary with us to  
night -

2 Dec. Saturday  
Snow - and cold. Ben still  
absent. Fred Aunt Mary  
and Charley B. around all



At Clayton at the Old Home Dec. 1910.  
 forenoon. This afternoon  
 Fred took Aunt Mary  
 down home. Charlie went  
 out hunting - got three  
 rabbits. Clayton and Patter  
 busy. Henrietta and Edith  
 and Clara all busy.

Mr. Mc around Jesusa.  
 Patter brought in ten eggs -  
 quite a record when all  
 things are considered. The  
 cold and snow and but little

Shelter — This Evening when  
 Charlie went to Clifton Henrietta went home.



2<sup>nd</sup> Dec. Sabbath A cold day The  
ground Covered with Snow -

Clayton and Edith and Charles at  
Church - Sermon by Rev Taylor.

Fred and Clara and Patten and

Mr Mrs and I at home

I have been in bed most  
of the day. Aunt Mary came  
home with the folks.

This afternoon Aunt Mary  
gave the Sabbath School  
lesson at the School  
house - Fred and Patten



St Clayton at the old Home Dec 1910  
and Charlie there - There  
were several there.

They rec their Xmas packages  
from Mr Henderson & sister  
to day. This Evening Charlie  
at our next neighbor S-

Patten went down to

Church - Henrietta came  
home with him. Aunt Mary <sup>wishes to</sup> <sub>night</sub>

26<sup>th</sup> Dec. Monday

Still cold ~~with~~ snow on  
the ground - And took Aunt  
Mary down home this morning.  
Henrietta and Edith and

Clara  
This After

Clara  
Charlie  
Came home

Clara will

two or three

And to

P.M. -

Saving

Another

Every one

this on

Charlie



Clara busy all A.M.—

This afternoon Charlie took

Clara over to Jamestown and  
 Charlie  
 Came home by Chigton—  
 Clara will remain in Jamestown  
 two or three days.

Had half father to town this  
 P.M.— Ben Still absent  
 Davis at the car.

27<sup>th</sup> Dec. Wednesday.

Another winter day.

Everyone busy around here  
 this morning. Clayton and  
 Charlie busy with the stock



At Clayton's at the Old Home December 9/10

Peter left at an early hour  
for Charleston - He went off  
in vicinity of Columbus  
to attend his nephew's wedding  
Near noon Clayton and Edith  
and Charlie went to the Church  
to the annual church  
dinner - I hurried at the  
work - ~~Found~~ at home with  
father and son - and  
of this is his last day  
to be at home more glad



to have him with us.

This afternoon Mr Charlie Redpath  
and Mrs J. R. Orr called.

Mr Redpath goes home this  
evening and he wanted to  
see Mr Mc before he went.  
We had a pleasant hour  
with them. After supper Clayton  
took Fred to the seven o'clock  
train - And while we shone  
he thankful he is able  
enough to go back - yet  
for all that we feel



St Clayton I at the old  
Home. 1910.

broken up to have him go.  
He has been with us since  
the 20<sup>th</sup> of Dec- and I have pleasant  
it has been and now just  
the weeks have passed  
and tonight since he has  
gone I remember that  
a year ago Paul was with  
us - right here by our side  
and now that he is  
gone - it brings a feeling  
of sadness - and I feel leaving

of his  
more -  
familiar  
than the  
father  
And the  
And one  
Country -  
But by  
after all  
in the  
No more  
Farting;  
He has  
other



and I think if of all the  
 more—some way this old  
 familiar verse came back  
 "When the evening shadow  
 gather

And the long day's work is done;  
 And we reach the unknown  
 Country—

Out beyond the setting sun;  
 After all the dreary waiting  
 In the peaceful rest to phase,  
 No more need of anxious  
 Parting;

We shall know each  
 other there."



At Clayton's at the Old Home Dec. 1910.  
 28<sup>th</sup> Dec. Wednesday.

The snow nearly all gone this morning. Last night when I worked a while I remember that Fred was gone. But day and night go on the same. We are carried on at a rapid pace. Clayton and Charlie at the work. Davis at the corn. This afternoon Charlie B. took father to town. Edith and Henrietta busy.



This evening Charlie Happing  
and Reece Barber and Harry  
Dovey here to Supper - and  
Spent the evening.

Harry remained with us  
to night - Pater at a late  
hour returned from the  
wedding. After Supper Charlie  
went to Frank Crosswell's  
to a party.

I have been busy in  
a way to day - but have  
accomplished but little.  
It is much warmer this Evening.



At Clayton's at the Old Home Dec. 1910.

29<sup>th</sup> Dec. Thursday  
 Harry Jones around this  
 morning - he and Eva Arthur  
 spending the day at V. Springs  
 at Rev. Graham's.

Near noon Clayton left for  
 Uncle Hughs - he had been  
 there today. Mr. Mac around  
 as usual. Patten on and  
 Charlie on the program.  
 Davis at the corner  
 Henrutter at her work.



Edith Gray.

This afternoon Frank Gilat  
called —

30<sup>th</sup> Dec. Friday. Found  
white with snow — all on  
the move around here  
this morning. Charlie at  
town this morning he had  
a prolonged call at  
Antje's home  
to a late dinner. Clayton  
and Patten busy.

Edith and Henrietta  
busy most of the



Patience with Mr. & Mrs. and Henrietta & me - in Clayton, Cal. & above.

At Clayton at the old Home Dec. 1910.  
 day - This evening  
 After supper Charlie told  
 us good by and Davis took  
 him over to Chifton. He  
 will leave Springfield for  
 San Diego in the morning.  
 His vacation is certainly  
 short this year. When he  
 was here last year Paul was  
 here - and we miss him  
 & we miss him every day -  
 but sometimes think if  
 we could only realize that

he is in  
 so no more  
 would be  
 ache and  
 On this  
 line -  
 "They  
 "They  
 Oye  
 Who  
 fond  
 Who  
 And  
 many  
 There  
 P. Shore



he is in his father's house to  
go no more out forever - it  
would help to ease the heart  
ache and the loneliness -

On this page I will write these  
lines -

"They shall go out No more."

"They shall no more go out -

O ye

Who speak earth's farewell through  
your tears.

Who see your cherished ones go forth,  
And come not back through  
weary years:

There is a place - there is  
a shore,



At Clayton at the Old Home  
 From which they will <sup>Dec - 1910</sup>  
 go out no more."

"They shall no more go  
 out" O ye

Whose friends have journey  
 further yet—

Whose loved will not return  
 again

For all your pleading or  
 regret—

They wait you at the  
 Sheltered door—

From his  
 out me  
 "No. 10

from the  
 No. 10

stands,

No. 10  
 forth

No. 10

No. 10

Refuge!

Called this  
 and Echo  
 A long Del  
 came  
 and the Corp



From which they shall go  
out no more.

No Chariot wheels roll  
from those gates,  
No bridled steed impatient  
stands,

No stately Caravan move  
forth

To cross through silent desert land  
No swelling sail, no dropping oar,  
Rejoice! They shall go out no more!

Mr. & Mrs. Starnant  
called this P.M. This evening Clayton  
and Edith at Mr. Houston's (Cherry) at  
a very quiet dinner. Several there. Clara  
came home with them. She came there with Mr.  
and Mrs. Carper.



At Clayton at the old home Dec. 1910.

31<sup>st</sup> day of Dec. Saturday.  
 Still cold with snow on the ground.

Clayton & Patter feeding. David at his looking.

Henrietta at her work - Edith helping  
 Clara get her trunk packed to go to  
 Columbus Monday to attend the  
 Miss Beissner College - "I am pleased  
 but yet I am sad. This afternoon Clayton  
 took father to Aunt Jeanette's - and took  
 supper with Harry and -

When you come to the last day  
 of the year it always brings a feeling of  
 sadness - "It is a time for memory and for  
 tears." A time to recall and think of the ones  
 who were with us at the opening of the year.

But who are gone - makes us so sad and  
 sorrowful today - but thus it ever shall  
 be - but let ever press on and look

forward - for our home is in heaven  
 and it is there where we shall meet our  
 loved ones when - "Our long days work  
 is done" - When we reach the unknown country  
 out beyond the setting sun."

Harewell to 1910 - Harewell



9/10.

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the year.  
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Miss Cara Roberts Liniment  
4 parts olive Oil—  
One part Ammonia—  
Shake well—It takes  
the stiffness and soreness out  
of your hands— or limbs—  
It is fine!

May the holy  
Evangelist  
the peace  
25th March 1840

"When I  
with you  
"Death is no  
Not falling  
It is life  
And death

John G.



May the holy Spirit melt down all  
Envy & jealousy and hatred in  
the heart.

23<sup>rd</sup> March. 9<sup>th</sup> April. 10<sup>th</sup> May. 13<sup>th</sup> May.

"When God is within us we are content  
with every thing"

"Death is not departure, but arrival;  
Not falling asleep but ~~awakening~~ waking;  
It is life which is the night  
And death is Sunrise."

Go and ask God to give  
you a "tender heart."



